

Frustrated Pilot Can't Put Bazooka On His Plane

By HAL BOYLE

With American Troops in Germany, Nov. 11 (Delayed) (AP)—The most frustrated and one of the blood-thirstiest soldiers in Germany is the slim young pilot of an artillery spotting plane who is angry because the Army will not let him use bazookas on his tiny craft to raid the enemy lines singlehanded.

Ever since he set down in Normandy and laid claim to being the first Allied flier "to land there intentionally," Capt. David Condon has kept busy devising and conducting schemes to make life uncomfortable for the enemy. He has won several medals for more than 100 trips across the enemy lines to search out gun emplacements, and is so widely recognized as a daring pilot that it is sometimes a problem to find observers to ride with him.

Condon figures he has been shot at 166 times since D-Day June 6.

"At least, my plane has collected that many bullet holes," he said, "and I don't think those Germans were fooling."

Condon is a native of Goshen, Va., which he said had possessed a population of 162 for the past 52 years.

"Our theme song is 'Home Sweet Home,'" he said, "and nothing ever changes, not even the population."

CLOSE QUARTERS

The American and German lines run together along a certain street in Wurselen, Germany. At some points the Americans have strung chicken wire to foil the German practice of tossing over potato-masher grenades at their living quarters. The wire deflects the Nazis' aim.

"We are really belted right up against the Wehrmacht," said Sgt. W. L. Hinson, Lenox, Ga. In some places the Jerries are in houses across the street from us, and the only time either of us can stick our heads out without getting them shot off is at night."

MOST NICKNAMES

Pvt. Donald G. Stinebaugh's buddies in the Second Infantry Division profess to have difficulty pronouncing his name, so they have conferred more nicknames on the Orlando, Fla., soldier than any other man in the division. Among the names are "Hamburger, Meatball, Steelball, Handiebar and Stinky," but Stinebaugh accepts them all with good humor. Apparently nobody ever thought to call him "Don."

SEEK GIFTS FOR HOSPITALIZED WAR VETERANS

Members of the Albert J. Lentz post No. 202 of the American Legion at a regular meeting Monday evening voted to participate in the collection of gift Christmas packages for veterans of World Wars I and II who are patients in war hospitals in this state.

The post named Paul Spangler, Joseph Smith and Edgar A. Moser to a committee to take charge of the gathering of gift packages or cash with which to purchase packages to brighten the Christmas holidays for some of the 50,000 disabled veterans confined to hospitals in this state.

Suggested gift packages would contain soap, toothpaste, or powder, tooth brush, razor blades, writing paper and envelopes, pencil, handkerchiefs, comb, shaving cream, face powder, after-shaving lotion, needles, thread, chewing gum, address book, pocket size novel and a styptic pencil.

December 5 Deadline

Donors of both cash and packages are to be asked to furnish cards with which their gifts may be identified.

Stanton House, Aspers, department chairman of the veterans' gifts committee, said that the Biglerville Legion post already has taken similar action and added that the Littlestown post is expected to "go along" in the program also.

December 5 is the deadline for the gift packages.

It was announced at the Lentz post meeting that the annual membership dinner for members and their wives will be held December 13.

Commander Paul R. Rohrbach, Joseph Smith, the service officer, and Adjutant E. A. Moser will go to Mechanicsburg Friday evening for a regional conference with Veterans' Administration officials.

Welfare Group To Hear Dr. Estabrook

Dr. Arthur H. Estabrook, secretary of the mental hygiene and public health division of the Public Charities association, will address the Adams County Welfare committee next Monday evening at 8 o'clock at Christ Lutheran church.

Doctor Estabrook will explain what state facilities are available to rural communities in meeting problems of mental hygiene and public health.

The meeting is open to the public.

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\$250,000 WILL BE PAID XMAS CLUB MEMBERS

Late next week Adams county mailmen will deliver to about 3,900 countians Christmas saving club checks from 11 county banks totaling nearly \$250,000, the largest sum ever distributed by the banks to Christmas club members in this county.

A survey of the 11 county banking institutions in the county that operated clubs during the last year, which was completed today by The Gettysburg Times, showed that approximately 3,950 club accounts were handled and that the club members saved \$246,773.90. In some instances the figures given were estimates with not all club accounts closed.

All checks will go out about December 1.

This year's figures are to be compared with \$205,209 which was distributed a year ago to about 4,450 club members. The 1943 total topped by about \$9,000 the figure for 1942.

Average Check

The average check this year will be the largest ever mailed in the county to Christmas club members—\$62.36. Last year the average check was \$46.20; in 1942, \$44.87 and in 1941, \$39.

Several banks reported the biggest clubs in their history in spite of the fact that the club members do not receive interest on their club deposits. Only three banking houses in the county do not conduct clubs—the two banks in East Berlin and the Abbottstown State bank.

The club at the Gettysburg National bank again was the largest in the county. There 1,325 club members have saved a total of \$78,912.60.

Second largest club was conducted by the Littlestown State bank where \$44,700 will be distributed to 770 club members. The banks club members' savings this year top by about \$12,000 the total for last year's club.

The club statistics reported by the other county banks follow:

The First National Bank, Gettysburg, will distribute \$41,200 to between 550 and 600 members.

The Littlestown National bank reports its 400 members will receive an estimated \$3,000, the largest sum ever distributed by that bank in spite of the fact that the number of club members is lower than the record enrollment there.

The Farmers' bank of McSherrytown has \$23,500 to mail out to the 455 countians who hold club memberships there.

At New Oxford the Farmers and Merchants bank is writing checks totaling \$15,300 for its 150 club members.

The First National bank of Fairfield reports 97 club accounts with \$4,354.05 to be distributed.

The Biglerville National has \$4,000 in 90 club accounts; the Bendersville National has 60 club accounts that show a total of \$3,000, and at the York Springs National \$1,000 will be mailed to the 20 club members.

The Arendtsville National bank reported a small Christmas club but did not have complete figures to report.

All of the banks that conducted clubs during the past year are announcing plans for clubs in 1945.

STATE FUNDS FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS

County Superintendent of Schools J. Floyd Slaybaugh announced today the transportation reimbursements as approved by the state Department of Public Instruction for 20 of the fourth class school districts of the county.

A total of \$41,528.06 was appropriated for the school year ending July, 1944. Included were the following districts:

Bendersville	\$ 675.00
Butler twp.	3,621.60
Conewago Ind.	504.00
Conewago twp.	315.00
Cumberland twp.	504.00
Franklin twp.	6,266.02
Freedom twp.	1,012.50
Hamilton twp.	87.50
Hamiltonban twp.	4,765.68
Highland twp.	1,329.30
Huntington twp.	2,915.64
Latimore twp.	2,268.00
Liberty twp.	1,113.75
Menallen twp.	6,360.48
Mt. Joy twp.	2,691.24
Mt. Pleasant twp.	1,721.25
Oxford twp.	643.50
Reading twp.	1,890.00
Tyrone twp.	2,320.00
Union twp.	523.60

Weather Forecast

Considerably cloudiness, windy and colder tonight and Wednesday with a few snow flurries in mountains.

Matthew H. Lopp Is Reported Wounded

S 2-C Matthew Hilderbrand Lopp, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lopp, 128 West Middle street, was wounded in action October 24, according to a War Department telegram received Monday by his parents.

Seaman Lopp entered the Navy last March and went overseas in April. He was stationed on the New Hebrides islands before being assigned to a war ship in July.

TELLS LIONS OF PLOTS TO STEAL LINCOLN'S BODY

The weird story of the two unsuccessful attempts to kidnap the body of Abraham Lincoln from its tomb in Springfield, Ill., was told members of the Gettysburg Lions club Monday evening by Dean W. E. Tilberg during the weekly dinner session of the local service clubmen.

The first attempt was nipped, the dean said, when one of the conspirators became intoxicated and talked of the plan to steal Lincoln's body for ransom and to help gain the release of a counterfeiter from penitentiary.

The second attempt was thwarted by detectives after the gang had forced entrance to the tomb and had opened the coffin. All were jailed for a year for attempting to rob a tomb while Lincoln's body was moved 17 times because of the fear that new attempts might be made to disturb it.

Plan Ladies' Night

Now the remains of the Civil War president rest beneath at least six feet of steel and concrete in the new tomb at Springfield, he said. The dean also read a poem, "Bear Hunt," written by Lincoln at the age of 24 years.

Robert E. Sheads, member of the Gettysburg high school faculty, was introduced as a new member of the club. He has transferred membership from the New Oxford club.

The seven letter-writing teams in to which the club has been divided began during the meeting writing group letters to the seven members of the club who are in the armed forces.

Plans were announced for a ladies' night program next Monday evening. A turkey dinner will be served the Lions and ladies at the parish hall at Two Taverns.

The Lions were guests of Lion Sydney Poppay after the meeting for the showing of the war short, "Battle of the Marianas" at the Majestic.

RAILROADS AND COAL SUBJECTS FOR ROTARIANS

Henry W. Garvin, local agent for the Reading railroad, spoke on "Anthracite Coal and the Reading Railroad," at the regular meeting of the Gettysburg Rotary club at the YWCA Monday evening.

Garvin gave a resume of the history of the fuel, beginning with its first discovery in America by the Indians. "Anthracite was first brought to the attention of the colonists by a friendly Indian. About 1750 the Indian brought a buckskin bag filled with pieces of black rock. This, he proved could be used as a fuel and thus the anthracite industry was born," the speaker related.

Anthracite was first used on a grate for domestic use in 1808. The coal fields of today are divided into three regions, all in northeastern Pennsylvania and total about 480 square miles, Garvin said. These areas produce practically all the anthracite mined in the United States, an estimated eight billion tons, he reported, and at the present rate of consumption should be sufficient to last for 130 years.

Tells Of War Services

The old Philadelphia and Reading railroad was incorporated April 4, 1833, and in 1837 had its charter amended in order to go beyond Reading into the coal fields. The first section of the line from Reading to Pottstown was put in operation May 1, 1838, and by July two trains were running daily between Reading and Bridgeport, near Norristown.

In a report of the service of the railroads during the war, Garvin said, "There were 45,218 passenger train cars in service in 1941. With this equipment over 23,000,000 troops were carried by the railroads since Pearl Harbor, and these figures do (Please Turn to Page 2)

TRUCK DRIVER IS FOUND GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

Edgar Franklin Grady, Harrisonburg, Va., was found guilty of a charge of involuntary manslaughter in the death August 19 of Frank C. Vanderwall, Gettysburg R. 5, who was struck while driving a tractor along the Lincoln highway east of Gettysburg, August 17.

The jury returned a sealed verdict about 12:15 o'clock this afternoon after deliberating for more than two hours. The verdict was read as court opened at 1:30 o'clock. Grady will be sentenced Saturday morning.

Denied Negligence

Testimony in the case was started Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock and took up most of the afternoon. Judge Sheely dismissed the jury for the afternoon at 4:15 o'clock at the conclusion of the rebuttals by Eugene V. Bulleit, Esq., attorney for Grady, and District Attorney J. Francis Yake, Jr.

Bulleit rested his defense on the assertion that his client was not negligent or reckless in connection with the Vanderwall accident and also the fact that even negligence in many highway deaths does not constitute a crime. He also maintained in his 15-minute rebuttal that Vanderwall's tractor was not moving at the time of the accident, but was stationary on the highway when struck by Grady's truck.

Yake asked for a verdict of guilty on the grounds of extreme negligence, declaring that Grady had no right to operate a truck upon the highway without first having the brakes in proper order.

Brakes Failed

During the testimony Grady had stated that as he approached the Vanderwall tractor on the highway he started to swing to the left, to the center lane, in order to pass the slowly-moving vehicle. Grady said he then saw a car approaching in each of the other two lanes and it was necessary for him to pull back into the right lane. He applied his brakes, he stated, but they failed.

In earlier testimony he had said that the brakes apparently had been damaged as he went down a long hill, near Coatesville, earlier that morning when he was taking a load of cattle from Harrisonburg to West Chester.

Appearing as the chief witness for the Commonwealth was Samuel P. Gillespie, of York, a potato chip manufacturer who was driving to the rear of Grady's truck when the accident occurred.

Officer Testifies

State Police Officer Harold Sheads, the prosecutor in the case, testified as to the locations of the vehicles, the condition of Vanderwall and George Ford, 71, Gettysburg R. 4, who was riding on a farm truck (Please turn to Page 2)

Pvt. H. J. Jeffcoat Is Wounded Abroad

Pvt. Harry J. Jeffcoat, 29, of Mt. Hope, was slightly wounded in action November 8, the War Department notified his wife, Mrs. Blanche K. Jeffcoat, by telegram Monday.

Private Jeffcoat, who was serving with an infantry outfit, was with General Patton's Army, Mrs. Jeffcoat believes. He went overseas in the middle of June, going first to England and then to France.

He entered the Army in May 1943, having been employed previously at the Letterkenny ordnance depot at Chambersburg. After training at Camp Shelby, Miss., he was sent to Fort George G. Meade, Md., and later left for overseas duty.

The couple has no children. Mrs. Jeffcoat is employed at the Orrtanna Canning company.

Arrive Overseas

Mrs. Grover Cluck, 114 West High street, received word that her son, Pvt. Clarence Cluck, is in Germany.

Freak Apple

An odd freak of nature was uncovered at the C. H. Musselman company canning plant today.

Katherine Schroyer, East Berlin R. 2, while trimming apples discerned a spoiled section of the apple. She made a deep cut to determine the depth of the spoiled section. In the center of the sliced portion, well within the apple, is a complete outline of a woman's face, with the hair, eyes, nose, chin and neck. It is clear and easily recognized.

New shipment of new weave anklets, sizes 7 to 10½. Anna Brier Specialty shop.

Son Of Local Man Reported Wounded

T/5 Isaac H. Grogg Jr., 26, Hanover, whose brother Pvt. Jesse M. Grogg, paratrooper, was killed in England Sept. 30, was seriously wounded in action on Leyte October 25, a War department telegram received Sunday by his wife, Mrs. Dorothy Lau Grogg, Hanover, disclosed.

T/5 Grogg is a son of Mrs. Beulah M. Grogg, Hanover, and Isaac H. Grogg, Gettysburg.

T/5 Grogg was inducted into the army March 30, 1943, and took basic training at Camp Edwards, Mass. In January he was sent to Hawaii, and went to the Philippines in September. Before going into the army he was employed by the Firestone store, Hanover. He is a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Drum and Bugle Corps and is affiliated with Hanover Post No. 2506, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Hanover lodge No. 227, Loyal Order of Moose.

SS LEADERSHIP SCHOOL CLOSES SESSIONS HERE

Distributing credits to the 44 students who completed their training courses and electing officers for the next year, the Adams County Leadership Training school closed its annual sessions at the St. James Lutheran church Monday evening.

The school, sponsored by the Adams County Council of Christian Education, opened November 2 and held classes each Monday and Thursday until the final classes were held Monday evening.

"Thirteen county churches were represented in the student body of the school that included 38 Lutherans, 10 Methodists, four Presbyterians, three United Brethren members and two from the Reformed church.

New officers for the school were named at the annual business session Monday evening.

Officers For Year

The Rev. Nevin Frantz, Arendtsville Reformed pastor, was selected as president to succeed the Rev. George E. Sheffer, New Oxford. The Rev. Earl N. Rowe, York Springs-Hunterstown Methodist pastor, was named secretary; treasurer, Walter A. Keeney, Gettysburg; dean, C. C. Culp, Gettysburg, re-elected, and registrar, Miss Mildred Moser, Gettysburg.

The Rev. Mr. Sheffer was re-elected to the board of directors for a three-year term and these new directors were named for the same term: The Rev. George S. Stoneback, Fairfield; the Rev. Mr. Rowe and Walter A. Keeney, Gettysburg.

The Rev. Charles K. Gibson, local Methodist pastor, was named as a director for one year to fill the vacancy caused by the transfer of the Rev. N. B. S. Thomas out of the county.

Closing devotions were conducted by the Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putman. Plans are being made for another session of the leadership school next fall.

GIRL, 7, IS ILL WITH PARALYSIS

A new case of infantile paralysis was diagnosed in Adams county Monday evening bringing to nine the total of polio and meningitis cases in the county this year.

The victim is Mary Louise Moul, aged seven years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Moul, who reside near Hampton in Reading township. Their home was quarantined this morning by William I. Shields, county health officer.

Mr. Shields reported that the child's condition is not serious but that she has a marked weakness in her right leg.

The child is a pupil at Stauffer's school in Reading township where her mother, Mrs. Margie Moul, is the teacher.

The school has been closed for 14 days and will be given a thorough cleaning. The other pupils have been directed to avoid public contacts as a means of controlling spread of disease. The other homes of pupils in that school have not been placed under formal quarantine.

No general health regulations will be imposed in the county or in that section as a result of the new case, county health authorities said.

Just received Rayon Panties, small, medium and large, 75 cents. Virginia M. Myers, 119 Baltimore street.

French Troops At Mulhouse; Nazis Are Disorganized

By WILLIAM FRYE

\$137,310 In Bond Sales Opening Day

With more than two-thirds of the county unreported the Sixth War Bond drive got off to a pace-setting start Monday with sales totaling \$137,310.75. Unofficial reports, not recorded as yet in headquarters, place total sales on the opening day of the campaign at near the \$300,000 mark. This exceeds any opening day sales in the five previous campaigns.

The official returns include only a few of the bank sales, no reports from post offices and schools. Official observers said they did not expect a complete report on the opening day, but anticipated more complete returns beginning in a day or so.

Honor Employes

At the Women's Division headquarters in the lobby of the Hotel Gettysburg, Miss Mary Stock, secretary, reported sales of \$9,825, sparked by a \$4,000 purchase of bonds by the Victor Products Corporation of Pennsylvania to honor sixteen employes in service.

Roy P. Funkhouser, president and general manager, who made the purchase said:

"We are very anxious to honor our sixteen employes in service and to have their names placed on the Roll of Honor. Those from our employ now in service include:

"Cpl. Vernon Miller, Pfc. Bernard Walter, T-Sgt. Robert H. Wisler, Pfc. John R. Mickley, Pfc. Donald G. Wisotzky, F.S. 3-C Calvin Shultz, Cpl. Ludwig Keller, Pfc. Charles R. Buckley, ASN John P. Richardson, Pfc. Orlyn Hixon and Pfc. Charles I. Weaver, serving overseas and Cpl. Paul W. Helwig, Pvt. Wilmer Dracha, Pvt. Ira Cutshall, S-Pvt. Samuel A. Noel, Jr., and Sgt. Charles Singley, serving in the States.

Others Honored

Others honored on the Roll of Honor on the opening day include: Pfc. Harry F. Elme, by Stanislaus Krichen and Lieut. Harry J. Pfaltzgraff by Mrs. Katherine A. Pfaltzgraff, both of McSherrytown and Sgt. Daniel N. Berger, by Mrs. J. C. Donley, Lt. Granville R. Schultz by Mrs. Granville R. Schultz, Lt. Com. Murray B. Prazee, Jr., by Mrs. Murray B. Prazee, Jr., S 1-C Paul W. Thomas by Mrs. Paul Thomas Petty Officer 3-C Max Sherman by Mrs. Anna A. Blier, and MM3-C Bertram L. Larkin by Mrs. George R. Larkin, all of Gettysburg.

One name, Barbara Allene Flinchbaugh, of Red Lion, by P. T. Willet, was placed on the Cradle Roll.

Volunteer workers were urged again today by Chairman Edmund W. Thomas and Woman's Division Mrs. Henry T. Bream, to make daily reports so that progress of the drive may be fully reported each day.

Fountaindale Is Given Pennant

School pupils at the Fountaindale school collected 1,940 tin cans during the month of October to lead all other schools in the county in the salvage drive, it was announced today. There are 30 pupils in the school.

In the state 1,164 schools collected 5,989,515 prepared tin cans during the same period. 860 tons of cans were shipped to detinning plants from the state last month. Pennants were awarded to the winning school in each county and individual prize winners were announced as follows:

First, \$75 in War Bonds, to John T. Forry, pupil of Garfield school, Lebanon, for the collection of 25,093 cans.

Second, \$50 War Bond, to Calvin Eckrota, Alden Station, Luzerne County, pupil of the K. M. Smith school, Alden Station, for the collection of 20,178 cans.

Third, \$25 War Bond, to Leonard Radziewicz, Schuylkill county, pupil of St. Stephen's school, Port Carbon, for the collection of 18,247 cans.

"Famile" one-piece Foundation Garments, \$11.95. Virginia M. Myers, 119 Baltimore street.

London, Nov. 21 (AP)—French armor swinging north up the Rhine reached the outskirts of Mulhouse today—perhaps already had entered the industrial city of 97,000—in swift exploitation of the Belfort breakthrough, which undercut the whole collapsing German stand in the Vosges.

Farther north the Germans were falling back toward Strasbourg and Saarbrücken behind weakening rearguard resistance officially described as disorganized.

Belfort, bypassed city guarding the Rhine, was captured, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower disclosed in calling for ever-increasing pressure until victory.

Heap Pressure At Quickening Pace

Six Allied armies were heaping on this pressure at quickening pace. The U. S. Seventh and Third Armies, swarming eastward in the other blade of a French-American scissors, hit into broken Nazi resistance described officially as sporadic and disorganized.

Berlin said Seventh Army troops had broken into Sarrebourg, a rail-highway junction 32 miles from the Rhine. Armor of the Third Army farther north wheeled deeper into the Saar basin.

An unconfirmed Swiss report said the French were attempting to bridge the Rhine southeast of Mulhouse. An assault was reported underway on Mulhouse itself.

At the north end of the front, beyond Aachen, American and British Armies had cut through fierce German opposition to within some three miles of the Roer river, the last natural defense barrier short of the Rhine near Cologne.

British At Gateway to Ruhr

British troops in southeastern Holland were eliminating the Nazis from the west banks of the Maas before Venlo, a gate to the Ruhr.

In the battle area east and northeast of Aachen, the American First and Ninth Armies and the British Second Army pushed their lines slowly toward Cologne—approximately 26 miles beyond the American vanguards—and the Rhine against increasingly furious German resistance marked by tank-led counterattacks which slowed but failed to stop the Allied drive to crack the Reich's strongest defenses.

The Germans threw 20 to 30 tanks against American Ninth Army units at Schleiden, seven miles southeast of captured Geilenkirchen, but Lt. Gen. William H. Simpson's men repulsed this blow and advanced a mile and a half northeast capturing Aldenhoven on the road to Julich, three miles away. Julich is a bastion on the Roer river, a strong natural defense barrier before the Rhine. Earlier the Ninth Army breached a formidable 10-mile-long German antitank attack.

Five fortress groups at Metz continued firing after the German commander within the enemy-held northern portion of the French fortress city ignored an ultimatum to surrender.

Reach Points Below Saar Frontier

A two-mile advance on the American Third Army wing east of Metz carried Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr.'s men to points eight to 12 miles below the Saar frontier. Third Army troops entered the old Maginot line defenses north of Faulquemont, 20 miles southwest of Saarbrücken, and took Lilling, 9½ miles from the Saar border.

Dieuze, 30 miles southeast of Metz, was captured. The Third Army had patrols at Insviller, 10 miles northeast of Dieuze.

Patton's Tenth Armored Division which drove into the Saar—a major German iron and coal region—has deepened its penetration of the Reich to three miles in the Merzig area. This division encountered heavy enemy fire from east of the Saar river.

Twelve miles to the northwest mechanized cavalry units of the Third Army have prowled five miles into Germany up the Moselle river valley, ancient gateway to the Rhineland.

In addition to taking Aldenhoven, the American Ninth Army also captured Freialdenhoven, Gereonsweiler, Nedermerz and Ungershausen.

Reach Rhine At Three Places

Capitalizing on the greatest breakthrough since Normandy the French reached the Rhine at three places and have begun trading shots with the Germans across the river for the first time since early in the war.

Unconfirmed reports from Switzerland said the French were throwing a bridge across the Rhine for an imminent new invasion of Germany. The Rhine, the southern sector of the Siegfried line and the Black Forest which lies just beyond the river form obstacles to any penetration of Germany in this area.

British troops in southeastern Holland were within 3½ miles of Venlo, the principal Maas river town blocking the way into Germany. The Germans appeared to be pulling out of positions west of the Maas.

SAYS OPTIMISM WARRANTED BY ALLIED COUPS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)
We are taking our text today from the Eisenhower communique which says that Allied troops on the Cologne plain east of captured Geilenkirchen "are meeting fierce enemy resistance."

With cities and towns and hamlets falling like tenpins in various sectors, and Allied forces making sensational advances, we are in danger of slipping into the over-optimistic class again. Mind you, optimism is going well, but we shall be smart to stick to facts—a plague on 'em.

The Geilenkirchen-Aachen sector, opposite Cologne and Germany's all-important Ruhr industrial center, is the crucial zone of the moment along the erupting 400 mile battle-front. General Ike is employing great striking power there in an effort to break through to the Rhine, and naturally that's where the Nazis have concentrated all the strength they can spare from their depleted forces.

Of course, this doesn't necessarily mean the Allies won't achieve a breakthrough at some point or points. However, it's the most promising route into Hitlerdom and as such is being exploited.

Now in order to meet the terrific pressure on this strategic sector the Nazis have been compelled to withdraw troops and equipment from other sectors which are less vital. They just haven't the soldiers to man their entire front adequately, and many of the forces which they do have are scrapings of their manpower and are being sacrificed as cannon fodder.

This shifting of German troops was exactly what Eisenhower figured on, and his army commanders are taking advantage of its successful tactics. Thus we see spectacular Allied gains at points which we had come to regard as inland Gibraltar, and in fact would be if held in full strength. The Nazis have been forced to fall back at numerous places, abandoning powerful positions—and that's the point I want to make. Some of the sensational Allied gains have been due in part to the fact that the enemy was retreating to fresh defenses.

This in no way detracts from the magnificent work done by the pursuing Allies, for it has taken bloody fighting and superb leadership to oust the Germans from these strongholds and drive them into retreat. However, we should recognize that he who runs away lives to fight another day, and the Nazis who are retreating still must be dealt with further back. Let's not get into the frame of mind of some folk back at the time of the German retreat from Normandy, when wishful thinkers were saying the war would be over in three weeks.

The Allied armies on the right flank have been marking up sensations. General Patton's success in flanking and capturing Metz—one of the world's strongest fortresses for over 2,000 years—has been followed by the French capture of Belfort, another stronghold, and a drive clear to the Rhine at Kembs. This has had the effect of flanking the German line and compelling them to rush back towards the Rhine to keep from being cut off.

As remarked in this column yesterday, it's evident that Nazi Field Marshal von Rundstedt intends to cling to his westward defenses in strategic sectors like Aachen which is as long as he can. His game is to fight a delaying action in hopes that foul winter weather will come to his rescue and drag the war on. However, sooner or later he will be compelled to pull clear back behind the Rhine for his last stand before we break into the heart of Germany.

NOMINATE NINE FOR CC BOARD

Nine local businessmen and business places have been nominated for membership on the board of directors of the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce, it was disclosed today by President Mares Sherman, who made public the names proposed by a Chamber nominating committee for the three positions to be filled on the board of directors.

The election will be held at the Chamber dinner meeting at the Battletfield hotel, Wednesday evening, November 29, when members will be guests of the organization. The report of the nominating committee headed by R. W. Wentz will be presented formally at that time and there will be an opportunity for additional nominations from the floor.

The nominees are: Roy P. Funkhouser, Dr. J. Walter Coleman, Edmund W. Thomas, the Gettysburg National Bank, Richard Bircher, George M. Zerling, Dr. C. H. Johnson, Keith, Bigham and Markley, Esqs., and the Peoples' drug store.

The names will be placed on printed ballots for use at the dinner meeting next week. The directors will be named for a three-year term. Chamber officers for the coming year will be elected by the directors at a meeting soon after the membership session.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

The Annie Danner club will meet at the YWCA building this evening at 7:30 o'clock. A Thanksgiving program and short business meeting will be held.

The November meeting of the officers and teachers of the Presbyterian Sunday school will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. McIlhenry, Harrisburg road.

Mr. Frank Vincent, West Brooklyn, Ill., and Harry R. Gigous, Sr., Warsaw, Ind., have returned to their home after attending the funeral of their brother-in-law, Roy C. Mackley, last Thursday. S I-C Robert W. Mackley arrived from overseas to attend the funeral of his father.

Pvt. Raymond Flickinger has returned to Camp Campbell, Ky., after spending a seven-day furlough with his wife, the former Mendell Fisel, Greencourt.

Dr. Raymond Lenhard, Miss Leslie and Miss Nettie Lenhard, of Baltimore, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George Miller, Buford avenue.

Philip McFale, of Steelton, is visiting his grandparents, Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Waltemyer, Springs avenue.

Mrs. Alice Schlosser, of Harrisburg, has concluded a visit of several days with her son-in-law, Clarence Shindeldecker, and her grandson, Kenneth Shindeldecker, West Middle street, and with other relatives and friends in Gettysburg.

Midshipman Thomas L. Cline, Jr., and Mrs. Cline, Carlisle street, are spending some time in New York, where Midshipman Cline reported to St. Albans hospital for a check-up.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wentz, East High street, were Mrs. Carl Martin, Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Wayne Wentz, Waynesboro.

Mr. and Mrs. John Basehore, East Middle street, spent the week-end in Philadelphia with Mrs. Basehore's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Kimes.

The Friday Literary club will meet Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock with Mrs. Albert Bachman, North Stratton street. Mrs. Earl J. Bowman will read the paper.

Bomber Officers Guests At Dinner

1st Lt. Raymond W. Spahr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Spahr, York street, returned home on Monday after serving more than 35 airmail missions over Germany and other occupied lands.

Lieutenant Spahr, 1st Lt. Harvey W. Dickert, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Dickert, Stevens street and 1st Lt. Vernon G. Keilholtz, of Emmitsburg, served aboard the "Mason-Dixon" bomber.

Monday evening the three officers, with Mrs. Keilholtz and Miss Jane Winebrenner were guests at a pre-Thanksgiving dinner at the Dickert home.

Lt. Keilholtz reports to Richmond, Va., on November 24 and Lt. Dickert reports to the same place on November 26. Lt. Spahr does not report until December 12.

Dr. Wentz Speaks At Special Service

An address by Dr. A. R. Wentz, president of the Gettysburg Lutheran Theological seminary who recently was made chairman of the Board of Foreign Missions of the United Lutheran church, featured the annual public thank-offering service conducted in Christ Lutheran church Sunday evening under the auspices of the Women's Missionary society of the church.

The service was well attended. There was a vocal duet by the Misses Marian Fish and Dorothy Moss of Gettysburg college. They sang "O Lord, Remember Me." A thank-offering was received.

Baby Beef Clubs To Plan Roundups

A joint meeting of the York Springs-McSherrystown Baby Beef club will be held next Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of VanLott Gardners, between Idaville and York Springs.

This will be the final meeting of the year for the group and plans for the sale of the cattle at the annual round-up at Lancaster. Assistant County Agricultural Extension Agent A. C. Hug will attend the meeting.

Borough Employees Removing Leaves

Gettysburg borough employees are making a systematic cleanup of leaves on the town streets, Borough Engineer LeRoy H. Winebrenner said today.

He said the work was started in the north end of town and the entire borough is to be covered. Additional leaves which accumulate in areas already covered should be taken care of promptly by the respective property owners, he said. The borough truck will cover its collection route only once.

Engagement

Kriner—Sease

Mr. and Mrs. Brade Sease, Waynesboro, announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia M., to Harry F. Kriner, RDM-2c, son of Mr. and Mrs. David F. Kriner, Waynesboro.

Miss Sease graduated in the class of 1942 from Waynesboro high school. She also graduated from Managerial Class at Western Union School, Washington, N. J., and is at present employed as manager of Western Union, Gettysburg.

Seaman Kriner attended the Waynesboro high school. He enlisted in the United States Navy in January, 1943, taking his boot training at Bainbridge, Md. From there he graduated from Electrical School at Morehead State Teachers' college, Morehead, Kentucky, and from Radar School. For the last 15 months he has been aboard one of Uncle Sam's sub-chasers.

No date has been set for the wedding.

Wedding

Cooper—McCahren

Edwin Crawford Cooper, Port Royal, Pa., and Lucille Virginia McCahren, Harrisburg, were united in marriage by the Rev. Ralph R. Gresh, St. James Lutheran pastor, in a single-ring ceremony performed at noon Monday in the church parsonage.

The couple was unattended.

DEATHS

Charles E. Tolbert

Charles E. Tolbert, 51, an employee for the past 17 years of the York corporation, died Monday morning at his home in York after a lingering illness from a complication of diseases.

The deceased is survived by his widow, Mrs. Susan Tolbert; the following children, Helen, Vesta and Garnet Tolbert, all at home, and Mrs. Melvin Walters, of East Berlin; four grandchildren; his mother, Mrs. Alice Tolbert, of Chambersburg, and these brothers and sisters: Mrs. Howard Peters, Mrs. Reed Dunlap and Mrs. Everett Summers, of Chambersburg; Frank Tolbert, of Dover R. D. 2, and Clyde Tolbert, of Fayetteville.

Mrs. Stewart Griest

Mrs. Edna (Hippensteel) Griest, 26, wife of Stewart Griest, Harrisburg, died Monday evening at 6 o'clock in the Harrisburg City hospital from a complication of diseases.

Surviving are her husband, a son of Peter Griest, York Springs; her mother, three children and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services from the Hawkins funeral home, Harrisburg, Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Interment in Sunnyside cemetery, York Springs, where the body may be viewed at 3 o'clock.

Maurice J. Wilhide

Maurice J. Wilhide, 67, well-known retired farmer of Detour, Md., died Sunday at 2:55 p. m. in the Frederick City hospital to which institution he had been removed a week ago. He had been ill two weeks before removal to the hospital. The immediate cause of death was a cerebral hemorrhage suffered at the hospital. He was a son of the late Reuben and Ellen Dern Wilhide. He retired from farming seven years ago.

Mr. Wilhide was an active member of the Lutheran church for 35 years. Twenty years ago he was on the building committee for the present Lutheran edifice at Keysville. He served at various times on the council of that church and also was active in the Sunday school. He was affiliated with the Taneytown I. O. O. F. lodge.

He leaves his wife, the former May Isabelle Haugh, and the following sons and daughters: Lloyd B., J. Mehrle, Carroll M. and Clyde E., all of Detour vicinity; Mrs. Russell W. Durborow, Gettysburg; Mrs. Charles E. Minnich, Union Bridge; Mrs. Francis T. Frey, Baltimore; and Mrs. Margaret Wachter, Long Beach, Calif.; also 11 grandchildren; and a brother, Ross R. Wilhide, Middleburg.

Services Wednesday at 10:30 a. m. at the late residence in Detour, his pastor, the Rev. A. A. Kelly, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Ralph E. Hartman, pastor of the Frederick Grace Reformed church. Burial in the Keysville cemetery. Friends may call at the home this evening from 6 to 9 o'clock.

Mrs. Lizzie F. Stover

Mrs. Lizzie Fidelia Stover, 64, widow of the late William J. Stover, died Saturday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clarence E. Albaugh, near Taneytown. She was a daughter of the late Jacob and Mary Snider Shanebrook. Her husband preceded her in death three years ago.

Surviving are a son, Charles E. Stover, near Westminster; a daughter, Mrs. Helen Albaugh, near Taneytown; a brother, Clayton Shanebrook, Littleton; and three grandchildren. She was a lifelong member of St. James Reformed church of Littleton. Services were held today at 2 p. m. at the Albaugh residence. The Rev. A. W. Garvin, pastor of the Taneytown U. B. church, officiated. Interment was made in the Reformed cemetery at

WILL OBSERVE THANKSGIVING

Special church services here Thursday will open what for most Gettysburgians will be a full holiday.

The public and parochial schools will be closed Thursday and Friday but Gettysburg college students will have a one-day vacation. Thanksgiving vacation at the seminary begins at noon Wednesday and ends next Monday morning.

Banks, business places and the court house will be closed for the day and The Gettysburg Times will not be published.

Church Services

Protestant churches of the community have planned a union service for 9 o'clock Thursday morning in Trinity Evangelical and Reformed church.

Mass will be read at 7:30 o'clock Thursday morning at St. Francis Xavier Catholic church.

The Thanksgiving sermon at the Reformed church will be delivered by the Rev. Charles K. Gibson, local Methodist pastor, and an offering for the benefit of the Civic Nursing association of Gettysburg will be received. There will be an offertory anthem by the church choir. Special music will include a solo by Miss Sara Spangler.

At the Gettysburg postoffice today it was announced that there will be no rural or city deliveries on Thursday and no window service although the lobby will be open from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m.

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The annual union Thanksgiving service of East Berlin will take place at Trinity Lutheran church Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock. The Rev. Paul L. Foulk, Hanover, will be guest preacher. The Rev. Snyder Allemen is pastor of the East Berlin church. The Reformed congregation of that place, the Rev. Richard E. Shaffer, pastor, is also participating. The public is welcome.

REVIVAL SERVICES

The Rev. G. W. Harlacher, elder of the Bermudian Church of the Brethren, announces that revival services are being held there each evening this week, in charge of the Rev. M. A. Jacobs, York. Song services are at 7:30, followed by sermons at 7:45. The revival will conclude Sunday, November 26.

RECEIVES AWARDS

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd J. Miller, Carlisle street, have received word their son, Pvt. Floyd J. Miller, Jr., who is now in Luxembourg, between Germany and France, has received the good conduct medal. Several weeks ago he received the infantry combat badge. Pvt. Miller is with General Patton's Third Army.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Edward J. Naugle, Orrtanna; Mrs. Andrew Baumgardner, Orrtanna, and Mrs. Oscar Fogle, Union Bridge, Md., have been admitted as patients to the Warner hospital. Mrs. George W. Basehore, Littleton, was discharged in the Littleton ambulance.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baumgardner, Orrtanna, announce the birth of a son at the Warner hospital Monday.

A daughter was born Monday at the hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Fogle, Union Bridge, Md.

PAGEANT FRIDAY

A patriotic pageant, "The Land We Love," will be given by members of the congregation of the Great Conewago Presbyterian church, Hunterstown, Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the church.

THANKSGIVING PLAY

A Thanksgiving program will be presented at the Wensville Lutheran church Sunday evening, November 26, at 7:45 o'clock. A feature of the program will be a play, "It Could Have Been Worse."

FIRE ON ZINN FARM

The Gettysburg fire company was called this afternoon at 1:45 o'clock to a fire at the old Zinn farm, now occupied by Charles Baird, about a half mile south of Hunterstown along the Gettysburg-Hunterstown road.

WAC IS TRANSFERRED

Private Gertrude E. Baltzley, 224 Steinwehr avenue, who has been stationed at the Third Training Center of the Women's Army corps, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, has been assigned to the Army Air Force base unit, at Clovis, New Mexico.

SERVICE THURSDAY

A Thanksgiving service will take place Thursday morning at 10 o'clock in the Hampton Church of the Brethren. The Rev. J. Monroe Danner, elder, will be in charge.

IN MERCHANT MARINE

Merle C. Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Myers, Carlisle street, has enlisted in the Merchant Marines. He left last Friday for Sheephead Bay, New York, for training.

CORRECTION

Personal property sold at the Hake sale on Springs avenue Saturday amounted to \$3,550 instead of \$35,050 as previously reported. Taneytown. Raymond K. Wright is the funeral director.

Upper Communities

Sgt. Arthur W. Kuntz, a member of the 100th Machine Record Unit, Mobile, at Omaha, Nebraska, will leave Friday for his post after spending a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker L. Kuntz, Gardners.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Flogie, Philadelphia, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gulden, Biglerville.

Pvt. Eugene Wolfe, of Georgia, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wolfe, Table Rock.

Mrs. Lloyd Ecker, Heidlersburg, and her son, Cpl. Harold Ecker, Ft. Belvoir, Va., and Mrs. Hershey Bowers, Biglerville R. D., are spending the day in Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Wilson, of New Philadelphia, Ohio, arrived today for a visit of several weeks with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steiner, of Arendtsville.

David Peters, Gerald Heller, Norman Lady and Herman Dixon, students at Biglerville high school, attended the Army-Penn game in Philadelphia Saturday.

Mrs. S. E. Kapp, of Biglerville, is visiting relatives in Akron, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawver and daughter, Justine, and son, Larry, of Biglerville, spent Saturday in Baltimore.

Mrs. Arthur E. Rice, of Biglerville, left today to spend the Thanksgiving season with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Arthur E. Rice, Jr., at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Larsen, of Staten Island, New York. She was accompanied as far as New York city by her uncle, Jay Craybill, of Seattle, Washington, who will spend the time in the city.

The annual Christmas program will be presented at Bethlehem Lutheran church, Bendersville, Sunday evening, December 17.

Miss Dolores Kepp, of Biglerville, spent Saturday in Harrisburg.

Mrs. Anthony D'Angelo, of Warren, Indiana, arrived today for a visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Pitzer, of Biglerville.

TRUCK DRIVER IS

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drawn by the tractor. He also told of Grady's statements at the scene of the accident and later that evening.

E. Eugene Baker, of Martinsburg, the owner of the truck, took the stand and told of the condition of the truck, both before leaving Martinsburg for West Chester, and after its return following the accident.

Hear Witnesses

Others who testified in the Grady case were James D. Knipple, a State police photographer, Dr. Bruce N. Wolff, Richard Gillespie, 14-year-old son of Samuel Gillespie, who was riding with his father at the time of the accident, and Miss Pauline Smith, who lives along the Lincoln highway near the scene of the accident.

After the Grady jury had retired, a new jury was impaneled for the trial of Albert L. Thomas, East Berlin R. 2, charged with two separate counts of selling malt beverages without a license, and maintaining a gambling house.

Testimony was given by N. L. Hunter, assistant supervisor of enforcement for the Liquor Control board, and George E. Seesholtz, another agent.

Witnesses for Thomas testified that they had not seen the Liquor Control board officers in the Thomas garage and that they had seen no gambling going on in the building. They included Charles Markle, constable in Reading township; Charles N. Dicks and Lloyd Myers of Hampton; and Orville Zeigler, of East Berlin. One of the witnesses for the Commonwealth, Roy G. Miller, who was arrested and pleaded guilty to a charge of selling beer on Sunday, testified that he had sold the beer to the two agents.

Further testimony was being taken this afternoon. The jury in the case was: Roy C. Wolf, Gettysburg R. 2; Mrs. Violet Henschke, New Oxford R. 1; Earl W. Cashman, New Oxford R. 2; Clinton A. Swope, Abbottstown; W. Franklin Yoder, Orrtanna; Herbert Bly, Gettysburg R. 4; Charles Funt, Biglerville R. D.; Roscoe Worley, Hanover R. 4; George A. Carbaugh, Cashtown; Ross Stock, New Oxford; J. H. Beard, Gettysburg R. 2; and Roger Topper, Fairfield.

CONGRESSMAN VISITS HERE

Congressman-at-Large William I. Troutman, of Shamokin, visited this morning in Gettysburg with Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder while on his way to Washington, D. C. Troutman and Snyder, who were classmates and fraternity brothers while attending Franklin and Marshall college, at Lancaster, had breakfast together this morning at a local restaurant.

PAYS FINE

Harry Seymour, Gettysburg R. 3, was released from jail following payment of a \$5 fine and costs Monday before Justice of the Peace Robert P. Snyder on a charge of disorderly conduct.

Arendtsville

The Arendtsville schools will close at noon Wednesday for the Thanksgiving recess. They will reopen Monday morning.

Wednesday morning at 11:15 o'clock a Thanksgiving program will be given at the high school under the direction of Mrs. Deardorff, supervisor of music.

Petty Officer David Bushman, who had been stationed at Bainbridge, Md., for nearly two years, has been transferred to Area D 3-4, Ships Co., Camp Peary, Virginia.

A program under the Christian Citizenship department of the Women's Guild of the Evangelical and Reformed church, will be given at the monthly Missionary meeting this evening at the parsonage.

Mrs. D. C. Jacobs has sold her house to Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Hale and will move with her mother in the near future to Johnstown. She will hold public sale of some of her household goods. Harry Cook, of Johnstown, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Jacobs.

Theater War Sales Total \$64,875.75

A total of \$152,990 in war bonds and stamps were sold at the booth at the Majestic theatre from October 16 to November 18 it was announced today by Sydney Poppay, theatre manager, and Mrs. Paul Thomas, chairman. The sales included \$1,325 in bonds and \$204.90 in stamps. The grand total for the year is \$68,544.55, of which \$64,875.75 represents bonds and \$3,668.80 stamps.

Those assisting at the booth for the last month were Mrs. Gertrude White, Mrs. Virginia Lauver, Jean E. Spangler, Mrs. C. H. Hett, Mrs. Arthur Brame, Miss Anna McSherry, Rita C. Byard, Nina Merrow, Daisey E. Wierman, Dorothy Swisher, Mrs. Paul Pensinger, Mrs. Erle Deardorff, Leonide Bowling, Mrs. Charles Pitzer, Bessie Smith, Mrs. Fern Myers, Mrs. Edgar Deardorff, Mrs. Mildred Shover, Mrs. Jacob Small, Edna Snyder, Mrs. C. Robert Deardorff, Mrs. B. L. Saylor, Mrs. George Amick, Mrs. Raymond Sheely and Mrs. William Conover.

Step-Brother Dies After Leyte Action

Cpl. Llewellyn A. Grove, 24, son of Mrs. Hattie M. Grove, 9 Linden avenue, Hanover, died October 28 on Leyte as a result of wounds received in action. The casualty was listed with the first reports by the War department since the return of the United States forces to the Philippines.

Cpl. Grove was one of a number of Hanover youths attached to an anti-aircraft unit which participated in the invasion of the Philippines. He entered the service in April, 1943, trained at Camp Edwards, Mass., and went from there to Hawaii, where he was stationed for about ten months. From Hawaii he went to Leyte. Cpl. Grove was a graduate of the Hanover high school in the class of 1938.

Surviving are his mother, Mrs. Hattie M. Grove, widow of Andrew F. Grove; a sister, Miss Rosea Grove, at home; a brother, Lt. Francis Grove, who is based in England as pilot of a fighter plane, and two step-sisters, Mrs. Dewey Collins, Gettysburg and Mrs. Roy Kessler, East Middle street, Hanover.

Gets Posthumous War Decoration

Mrs. Charles L. Sharrer, of Emmitsburg, has received the Silver Star medal, awarded posthumously to her husband for "gallantry in action with the 36th Infantry Division in Italy." Lieutenant Sharrer was killed in action.

Lieutenant Sharrer, a field artillery officer serving as an observer in Italy in February, was decorated for holding his post despite heavy enemy artillery and mortar fire. A citation said he "disdained personal security in the face of tremendous enemy fire and tirelessly transmitted his orders until a direct hit upon his position killed him."

During a furious German attack, he continued directing his battery at a time "when accurate artillery fire was essential for the repulsion of the enemy," the citation added.

Post Offices Will Close On Thursday

Mrs. Edna M. Jacobs, East Berlin postmistress, has announced that the post office will be closed after 9 a. m. on Thanksgiving Day. The lobby will remain open throughout the day, when lock box patrons can obtain their mail. No rural deliveries will be made.

The New Oxford post office will also be closed that day, with the same provisions to lock box patrons. Rural carriers for that section will be given a holiday. Mrs. Goldie M. Bower is postmistress.

LICENSED TO WED

Ray March Culp, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Culp, 369 York street, and Miss Phyllis Marie Grandstaff, York, have secured a marriage license in York.

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LIST YANKEE ARMY FORCES AT WAR FRONT

London, Nov. 21 (AP)—These are the American Army forces engaged against Germany, as recapitulated today by Yank, the Army weekly: Twelfth Army group, Lt. Gen. Omar N. Bradley. Sixth Army group, Lt. Gen. Jacob Devers.

ARMIES

First, Lt. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges. Third, Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr. Seventh, Lt. Gen. Alexander M. Patch. Ninth, Lt. Gen. William H. Simpson. First Airborne, Lt. Gen. Lewis H. Brereton.

CORPS

Fifth, commander unannounced. Sixth, Maj. Gen. Uclan K. Truscott, Jr. Seventh, Maj. Gen. J. Lawton Collins. Eighth, Maj. Gen. Troy H. Middleton. Twelfth, Maj. Gen. Manton S. Eddy. Fifteenth, Maj. Gen. Wade H. Haislip. Nineteenth, Maj. Gen. Raymond S. McClain. Twentieth, Maj. Gen. Walton H. Walker.

AIRBORNE DIVISIONS

82nd, Brig. Gen. James N. Gavin. 101st, Maj. Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor.

ARMORED DIVISIONS

Second, Nak. Gen. E. N. Harmon.

Third, Maj. Gen. Maurice Rose. Fourth, Maj. Gen. John S. Wood. Fifth, commander unannounced. Sixth, Maj. Gen. Robert W. Grow. Seventh, commander unannounced.

INFANTRY DIVISIONS

First, Maj. Gen. Clarence H. Huebner. Second, Maj. Gen. Walter M. Robertson. Third, Maj. Gen. John W. O'Daniel. Fourth, Maj. Gen. Raymond O. Barton. Fifth, commander unannounced. Eighth, Maj. Gen. Donald A. Stroh. Ninth, commander unannounced. 26th, Maj. Gen. Willard Paul. 28th, Maj. Gen. Norman D. Cota. 29th, Maj. Gen. Charles H. Gerhardt. 30th, commander unannounced. 35th, Maj. Gen. Paul W. Baade. 36th, Maj. Gen. William W. Eagles. 79th, Maj. Gen. Ira T. Wyche. 80th, commander unannounced. 83rd, Maj. Gen. Robert C. Macon. 90th, Brig. Gen. James A. Van Fleet.

These are all that have been announced by the War department and therefore the only ones that can be mentioned.

SPORT SHORTS

Princeton, N. J., Nov. 21 (AP)—George Oppenlander, 17-year-old Swarthmore college guard seriously injured in the Princeton game here Saturday, was reported by Princeton hospital officials yesterday as holding his own, with chances for recovery improving. Oppenlander suffered a ruptured kidney in a pile-up.

Chicago, Nov. 21 (AP)—Baseball Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis and Mrs. Landis probably will have their Thanksgiving dinner in St. Luke's hospital where both have been confined for the past several weeks.

Condition of Landis, who yesterday observed his 78th birthday in the hospital, was reported highly satisfactory but he protested mildly because his immediate release isn't in sight. Mrs. Landis is convalescing after suffering a fractured wrist.

New York, Nov. 21 (AP)—Edgar P. Feeley was named treasurer of the New York Giants to succeed the late Leo Bondy at a meeting of the board of directors. No successor to Bondy as vice president of the National league club was elected although the firm of J. Norman Lewis and Feeley was picked to handle the organization's legal business.

Montreal Seeks Hockey Loop Lead

(By The Associated Press) Art Ross' staggering Boston Bruins will have the comfort of home surroundings when they take on Montreal Canadiens at the Boston Garden in the only National hockey league game tonight, but if the records mean anything it's about the only advantage they'll have.

The Bruins' only other game of the season was a victory, 7-5, over the tail-end Chicago Black Hawks, the one team they have beaten to date. They have a decision over Hawks in Chicago and a draw with New York Rangers to their credit, giving them five points in eight games and an uncertain grasp on fourth place, one point ahead of the New Yorkers.

The powerful Canadians will be shooting for the two points needed to put them in a first-place tie with

Glassport Repeats As Title Winner

Washington, Pa., Nov. 21 (AP)—The Western Pennsylvania Inter-scholastic Athletic League's three divisional football championship for 1944 were inscribed for the record books today.

Glassport, 1943 co-champion with Dormont, emerged the class A winner last night by coming from behind to defeat Burgettstown, 25-13, before a crowd of 4,500 here. The victors spotted their opponents a first-period touchdown, then rolled back to tie and win the game in the second period.

Glassport was the second WPIAL titlist to repeat. On Saturday, Aspinwall, class B champion in 1943, retained its title by trouncing East Pittsburgh, 20-6. Donora won the class AA crown by turning back Ellwood City, 13-0.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press) New York—Phil Terranova, 127½, New York, and Harry Jeffra, 130½, Baltimore, drew, 10. Johnny Williams, 138, Montgomery, Ala., outpointed Julio Gallucci, 144, Hartford, Conn., 6.

Baltimore — Walter "Popeye" Woods, 166½, New York, outpointed Berlie Lanier, 160, Philadelphia, 10. Pedro Firpo, 134½, Camden, N. J., outpointed young Beau Jack, 137½, Baltimore, 6.

Newark, N. J.—Teddy Randolph, 177, New York, outpointed George Parks, 185½, Washington, 10. Cecil Schoonmaker, 114, New York, outpointed Joe Blair, 114, New York, 6.

Washington—Dixie Oliver, 192, Washington, T.K.O. Gus Dorazio, 209, Philadelphia, 8. Jimmy Briscoe, 141½, Washington, outpointed Rocky Jackson, 146, Philadelphia, 6.

Philadelphia—Johnny Carter, 160, Philadelphia, T.K.O. Van McNutt, 156½, New York, 6. Ray Morris, 121½, Wilmington, Del., knocked out Curly St. Angelo, 126½, New York.

Chicago—Jim Williams, 217, Chicago, outpointed Dan Merritt, 208, Cleveland, 8. Ted Christie, 127, Chicago, T.K.O. Chief Red Cloud, 128, Detroit, 4.

AP Poll Goes 'International'

New York, Nov. 21 (AP)—The Associated Press football poll, which already listed the Anchorage, Alaska, Times among its voters, became definitely international today upon receipt of a ballot from Sgt. Andy Rooney, sports editor of the Stars and Stripes in London.

Rooney listed Army, Randolph Field, Navy, Ohio State, Bainbridge, Iowa Pre-flight, Michigan, Southern California, Duke and Tennessee in that order.

State College, Pa., Nov. 21 (AP)—A postwar reduction of income taxes in all salary brackets is predicted by C. J. Rowland, tax expert and professor of economics at Pennsylvania State college. Although there will be no return of the prewar tax rate, he said yesterday that Americans may expect a reduction from the current year's standard, which experts predict will yield approximately 44 billion dollars.

Toronto Maple Leafs. In their single previous encounter with the Bruins this season, the Montrealers scored a 3-2 triumph.

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REDS DRIVING FOR NAZI BASE NEAR BUDAPEST

London, Nov. 21 (AP)—Russian and American-made tanks, deepening the Soviet sweep around besieged Budapest along invasion routes into Austria and Czechoslovakia, were reported advancing Monday toward Lucevec, key Nazi communications hub on the Slovak-Hungarian frontier.

Gyongyos, a seven-way road junction 23 miles from the border and 40 miles northeast of Budapest, was seized by Russian shock troops yesterday in a thrust across the vital Budapest-Miskolc railway. Moscow said the city fell after a violent street fight in which two enemy battalions of 1,500 men were wiped out. Simultaneously, other Soviet tank and artillery forces brought the 25-mile sector of the trunk line between Budapest and Hatvan, under heavy fire after capturing the village of Galgaheviz, 19 miles northeast of Budapest, a midnight Moscow bulletin announced.

On the upper end of the 85-mile front moving on southern Slovakia, Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's second Ukrainian army drove to within two miles of Miskolc, Hungary's fifth city. Seizure of Hernadkai, six miles east of Miskolc, put another Russian group into the broad Hernad river valley leading into Slovakia.

In the Baltic, the Russians were reported by Berlin to have thrown three divisions of 30,000 men and strong tank forces against the Szworbe Peninsula, southwestern tip of Saare Island, dominating the entrance to the Gulf of Riga.

The battle for Budapest, according to Berlin, entered a new phase with the Russians bringing up 35 infantry divisions, possibly 400,000 men on a siege east of the capital. Berlin reported heavy fighting at Gyorme, 10 miles southeast of the city.

Japs Claim Nine Yank Ships Sunk

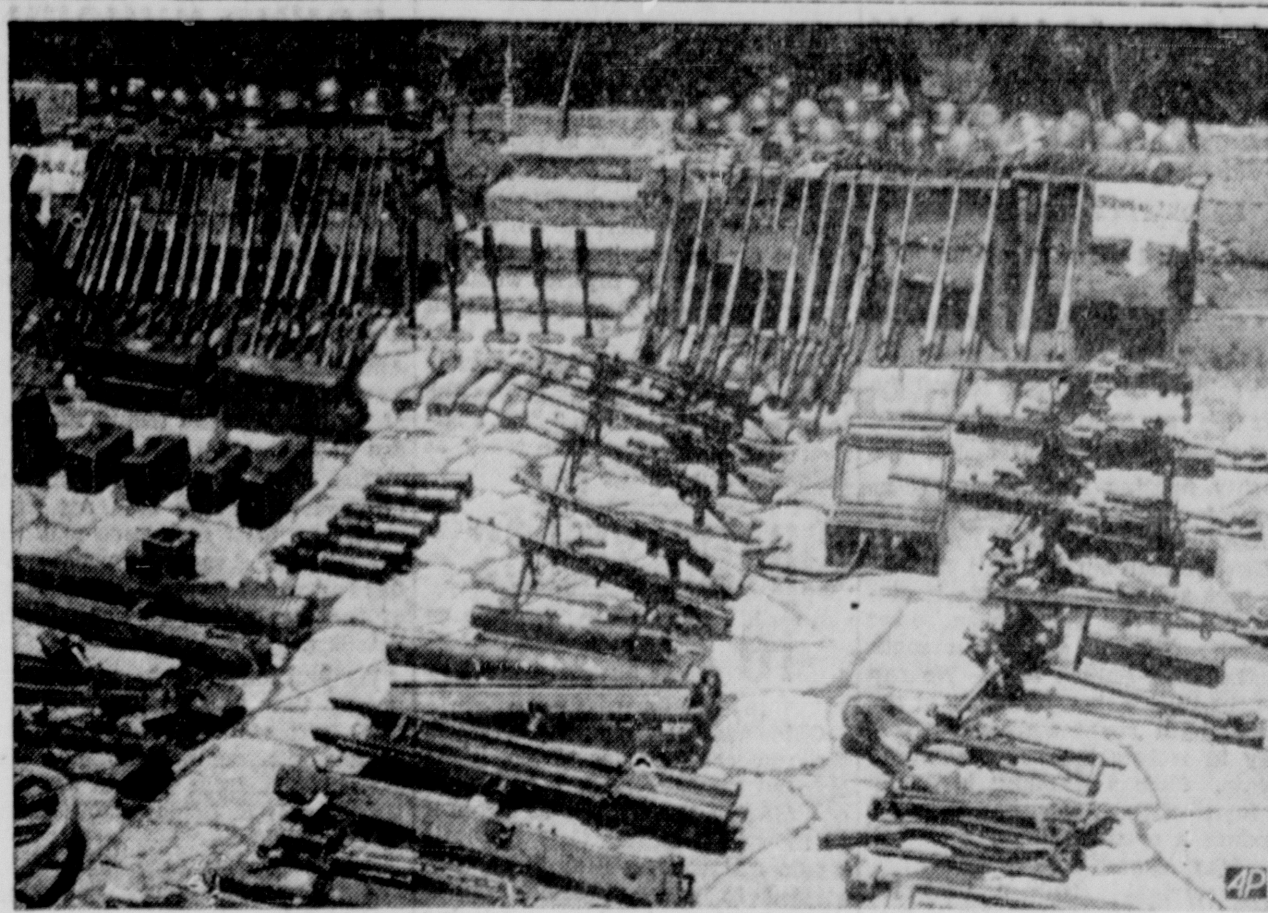
(By The Associated Press) Tokyo radio claimed Monday Japanese planes sank two Allied cruisers, four submarines and three transports and left a carrier and a battleship ablaze.

The propaganda broadcast, beamed to the United States and recorded by the Federal communications commission, claimed an "enemy task force" was trapped east of the Philippines Sunday (Japanese time) and the four capital ships hit in a two-day aerial attack.

Tokyo claimed the transports were sunk by suicide planes in Leyte Gulf Saturday morning. The submarines were assertedly sunk in the western Pacific the same morning.

All of these claims were unconfirmed. An Imperial communique reporting the attack on the transports, asserted that four others were set on fire by Japanese aircraft Friday and Saturday.

The communique said American supply dumps near Tacloban and the Burauen airfield, both on Leyte Island, were bombed and fires started.



TAKEN FROM THE JAPS—Helmets, rifles, machine guns, shovels, shells, and other items make up this display of war goods captured from the Japanese in China.

SOME CONTESTS YET UNDECIDED IN ALLEGHENY

Pittsburgh, Nov. 21 (AP)—Official returns from Allegheny county showed today that 77 per cent of the qualified voters here exercised their right to vote in the general election two weeks ago.

The final count from the 1,024 districts revealed 576,069 persons voted out of 746,293 who had registered. Forty-six thousand military ballots remain to be counted.

The figures confirmed that the GI vote will decide whether Howard E. Campbell, Republican, or John F. Lowers, Democrat, gets the 29th district seat in Congress. Civilians gave Campbell a lead of 1,045.

Sheriff Robert J. Corbett, Republican, took a lead of 4,034 over Congressman Thomas E. Scanlon, Democrat, in the official complete figures for the 30th district seat. When the unofficial tally stopped with 10 districts still out, Corbett had a lead of about 3,500.

Undecided contests. These were the only two Congressional districts in which any doubt

existed after the unofficial count.

The military vote is also awaited to decide whether former Mayor William N. McNair, Democrat, or Rep. Owen B. Hannon, Republican, wins a seat in the state house of representatives from the Fourth Allegheny legislative district. The civilians gave Hannon a 589 vote lead.

The official returns gave President Roosevelt a 78,515 vote plurality over Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, and put Rep. Francis Myers, Democrat, in the lead by 71,212 votes over Sen. James J. Davis, Republican, in the U. S. Senatorial contest.

FATAL BLAST

Philadelphia, Nov. 21 (AP)—One man was killed and nine were injured when machinery in a warship under repair at the Philadelphia Navy yards exploded yesterday. The blast, which took place in refrigeration equipment, occurred shortly before 5 p. m. when the yards were crowded with civilian workers leaving for the day.

BURNS ARE FATAL

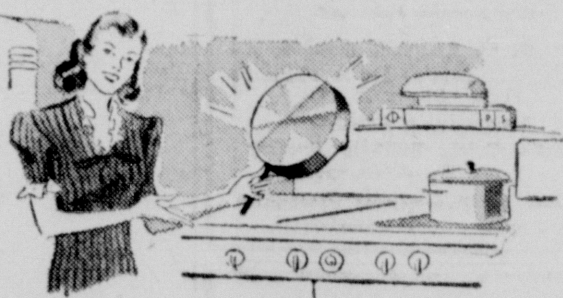
Mercer, Pa., Nov. 21 (AP)—Burns suffered when her clothing ignited from an open gas stove proved fatal Sunday night to Cecil Bierce, four-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson Bierce.

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OFFICER ASKS CIO TO STEP UP WAR PRODUCTION

Chicago, Nov. 21 (AP)—The CIO convention today was urged by Lt. Gen. Brehon Somervell, Army supply chief, to help recruit another 100,000 workers for war plants to turn out the fighting tools needed in Europe and the Pacific.

"We must have these workers at once," said the general in an address prepared for the delegates who yesterday cheered their president, Philip Murray after he urged a revision of the Little Steel Formula limiting wages and said "we have no quarrel with business."

Somervell told the convention that production in some items is 40 per cent behind.

To the delegates who yesterday heard Murray assert the CIO would continue "in the maintenance of our no-strike pledge," Somervell said:

"I know that you men and women are sticking to your war jobs but there are a lot of Americans who are not. They are turning to other employment in quest of greater post-war security."

"Our men aren't dying in Germany and in the Philippines simply to give someone the right to work at a soft job before the war is over or to get an advantage over his competitor."

Somervell said the 40 per cent loss

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SCHOOL STRIKE ENDS
Pittsburgh, Nov. 21 (AP)—About half of the 225 striking students of Sharpshooter high school who have been protesting dismissal of their basketball coach returned to classes Monday. The school board last night decided to send letters to all the parents, asking them to vote on the question of whether the board should retain Arthur Ferraro as coach or hire a new one.

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I've never learned the way to pluck
The pretty feathers from a duck,
Nor am I one who can abide
The feeling of a duck's inside.
So, friendly nimbrod, keep your game,
Or if you give it, clean the same.

I've always lived a sheltered life
And left the kitchen to the wife.
I have no wish for partridge meat
That comes with feathers, bill and feet.

I can't dress any sort of bird!
Grouse hunter, here's my solemn word:

Now, with the season drawing on,
A few brief lines on venison.
I do not like it; have no wish
For deer meat on my dinner dish.
So mark me down as "out of luck,"
Friend hunter, when you pass the buck.

Today's Talk

OUR GREATEST HERITAGE

From the very earliest days of the human race there has always been passed on something of value to those who followed. The creative and inventive mind of man is inexhaustible. Our present endless comforts are the result of this forward march.

Our greatest heritage, however, from those of the past, is what we have gained from them in ideas and moral uplift. The freeing of the shackles of slavery, intolerance and bigotry from the minds of people, "making nations nobler, freer," is what has added light to a better and safer road ahead, all through the added years of history.

Right now we are on the threshold of an opportunity that "shall nobly save or meanly lose the last, best hope of earth," as Lincoln stated in the midst of another terrible war. If we prove equal to the responsibilities, then we shall deserve the thanks of our children and our posterity, and our great heritage shall be theirs as well.

This cruel and tragic war has challenged every inherited right and vestige of freedom and Christianity. How fragile have been our ideals! How great have been our efforts to gain materially, at the same time brushing aside the one great importance of life—to gain spiritually, and to imbue character with kindness, consideration, equality and hope.

Henry Drummond once wrote a famous book entitled "The Greatest Thing in the World." And that "greatest thing" was—Love. To this day it is the only corner-stone that can adequately fit the structure of a "brave new world" or "One World." Certainly hate does not fit into such a structure. It would surely fall, as it would deserve to fall, under the impact of a war of hate.

Right things are never old! They have stood the test of time—and they always will. They are our greatest heritage in the midst of confusion and doubt. Freedom is a right that cannot be justly taken from any man. So are religion and opportunity. So is thinking. The "Golden Rule" is just as fresh and applicable to a war-torn world as when first uttered as a principle for happy and peaceful living among all peoples in all the world.

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "On Throwing Off Waste."

Find Bodies Of Trapped Miners

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Nov. 21 (AP)—The eighth-day search for three miners trapped by flood waters in the Franklin operation of the Pagnottoli interests came to an end Sunday with recovery of their bodies.
Officials said the men, William Kohansky, 50, Wilkes-Barre; John Draus, 50, Wilkes-Barre township; and Michael Geron, 29, Moosic, were swept by the water far beyond where they might have escaped.

The Almanac
Nov. 22—Sun rises 7:55; sets 5:32.
Moon sets 12:05 a. m.
Nov. 23—Sun rises 7:56; sets 5:37.
Moon sets in morning.
MOON PHASES
23—First Quarter.
29—Full Moon.

Out Of The Past

From the Files of the Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times
FIFTY YEARS AGO

Local Miscellany: Mr. Edward Menchey lost a valuable mare on Nov. 6th, of spasmodic colic.

The college eleven went to York on Saturday for a game with the Y. M. C. A. team of that place. Two twenty-five minute halves were played. York won by a score of 4 to 0.

New Bank President: At a meeting of the Directors of the Gettysburg National Bank held on Tuesday, the Hon. John A. Swope was elected president to succeed the late David Wills, Esq. Dr. Swope was also the predecessor of Mr. Wills, having been chosen to succeed his father, the late George Swope. William McSherry, Jr., is the new attorney. In Dr. Swope's absence, Mr. W. D. Himes will act as President pro tem.

Sales: Rev. Dr. McKnight has bought from Dr. J. P. Breanneman of York, for \$2,850, the two-story brick house—22 feet, 5 inches front on Baltimore street, adjoining the three-story owned by the former.

Mr. S. H. Taughinbaugh has bought from Martin Winter a 60 foot lot on Washington street, opposite the entrance gate to the college grounds, and has begun the erection of a house.

On Saturday, J. A. Kitzmiller, Trustee, sold the Krauth property, fronting 60 feet on Baltimore street and running east along High street to William McSherry, Jr., and George E. Stock, for \$3,200.

Prof. Aaron Sheely has purchased from the Water company their lot east of the reservoir, the old Menchey lot.

W. L. Snyder has sold his fine residence on Main street, Bendersville, to Dr. Jas. G. Stover, who will take possession in the spring.

J. P. Swartz, of Big Mount, has purchased the hotel in Hampton from R. K. Sipe for \$3,200. Sipe has purchased from E. M. Neely a farm lying close to Hampton, containing 30 acres for \$2,400.

Personal Mention: Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Mary Holtzworth, daughter of Mrs. Evaline Holtzworth, and Jacob Ramer, of the firm of Ramer and Wiest, of this place. The ceremony will occur at the bride's home at three o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Bessie Baugher was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Harriet E. Spahr and Mr. David E. Small, which occurred in York Thursday evening.

William H. Deardorff, son of Ephraim Deardorff, who is attending Jefferson medical college in Philadelphia, is dangerously ill with typhoid fever at the Jefferson hospital.

J. W. Diehl is visiting his sons in Charlestown, Missouri.

Miss Ida Grenoble is spending some time in Baltimore.

Charles M. McCurdy has been chosen superintendent of the Presbyterian Sunday school, to succeed the late Judge Wills.

Guide L. W. Minnigh has returned from his first lecturing trip through Massachusetts and Connecticut and says his audiences were both large and enthusiastic. He will return the latter part of November for another course of lectures covering three weeks.

Charlie Draus, after a summer's work in Michigan, returned to his home in this place on Wednesday evening.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Anna M. Ziegler to Price Oyler Wednesday evening, November 28th, at 8 o'clock. The ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ziegler, East Middle street.

Boarding: Teachers attending Institute, can get boarding at the Daugherty House, 18 Main street, for 75 cents per day—Spring beds—Warm rooms—Good boarding.

Death's Doings: Mr. John Winebrenner, one of the town's oldest and most highly respected citizens died on Wednesday evening. When a young man he came to Gettysburg and engaged in the tanning business. Mr. Winebrenner was at one time street and road commissioner.

Three daughters survive Mr. Winebrenner. Mr. Winebrenner was in his eightieth year.

William F., oldest son of Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Hill, died very suddenly at his home in this place Sunday afternoon. Upon returning from a walk after a twenty minute absence, Dr. Hill found William in a large rocking chair with his head bent down and his legs relaxed and his feet under the stove.

Dr. Horner was hastily summoned, but death had come like a flash, probably ten minutes before his arrival. Heart failure was the cause. In the morning he had been out for a long walk and ate rather a hearty dinner with his family. He was taken ill at Pueblo, Colorado, last May. His brother, J. L. Hill, Esq., was telegraphed for and William accompanied him home to Gettysburg. He was by profession a civil engineer. In 1881 he went west and found employment at different times with the Atlantic and Pacific and Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe roads, the city of Albuquerque and Pueblo.

MANY FACTORS FAVOR ALLIES IN DRIVE ON NAZIS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)

Thus far the Allied drive toward the Rhine hasn't given us a lead to show whether General Eisenhower will achieve his ambition to end the war this year or whether it may drag on through the winter—but his mighty fighting machine is crushing steadily forward with the inevitability of a landslide.

The German battle-line is stretched taut and at many places is giving, notably in the Aachen sector opposite Cologne and down south in the Metz-Belfort zone. We can see the Nazi lack of reserves for the quick, hard counter-attacks necessary to restore breaks at strategic points. Such a situation is wholly in favor of the Allies, and it might produce a crash-through.

May Expect Bad Weather

However, this isn't a time for prophesy. While we've seen a further awesome demonstration of Allied striking-power, we also have fresh evidence of German determination to gamble prodigally with death in this last-ditch stand at the threshold of the fatherland. So while there's no doubt that we shall win this historic battle, we must see further developments before we can decide how long it may run.

Of course, much depends on the weather. Normally this is the bad time of the year, as I who've seen more than one winter campaign in western Europe know too well. There are pea-soup skies to bedevil the air fleets, which are at once the eyes of the ground forces, and the pillar of fire which leads the troops into action. There's the deep and glue-like gumbo mud to bog down both foot-soldiers and machines. Winter fights for the defenders.

Hard Going Ahead

The Hitlerites are depending largely on this factor, and on the strength of their westwall defenses. This isn't to depreciate the toughness of the resistance which has been offered by the depleted Nazi ranks. We should be doing our Allied troops and injustice if we failed to recognize what they're up against. The Germans are fighting for an evil cause, but they're brave in battle and in this crisis are showing fanaticism beyond their normal character.

The covering barrages for our advances have been so terrific that in some sectors they've temporarily numbed the enemy. But the Hitlerites have recovered with amazing quickness and have swarmed from their shelters to meet the onslaught. This is fair warning of hard going ahead for the Allies.

Nazi Field Marshal von Rundstedt, commander in chief of the western front, is showing a disposition to cling as long as possible to his formidable defenses west of the Rhine, despite the fact that this great river represents his strongest natural barrier against the Allies. One suspects this is recognition that (1) the river is vulnerable despite its strength, and that (2) once the Allies have crossed and established a bridgehead on the eastern bank, the war will be about finished.

Rhine Is Critical

In short, the consensus of military experts is that Nazi resistance will fold up when the Allies are over the river in force. It's humanly possible, of course, that we may see the guerilla warfare—battles for each city, town and hamlet—which Nazi propagandists have threatened, but that's not likely.

Once we've established a route across the Rhine we shall be able to pour armored forces into the plains leading to Berlin and the heart of Germany. Also we shall have in our hands Hitler's chief industrial areas, the Ruhr and the Saar, which lie close to the Rhine.

We're still waiting for another great event—a Russian offensive against the Vistula line. That would give vast support to the Allied drive in the west.

Vet of 33 Missions Hurt In 'Cycle Crash

Atlantic City, N. J., Nov. 21 (AP)—Tech. Sgt. Charles W. Snyder, of 42 East Third street, Waynesboro, Pa., has found bombing runs over the enemy safer than bicycling.

Sergeant Snyder came through his 33rd and final mission unscathed, but a half hour later he suffered a broken nose, severe lacerations about the face and other injuries when he went for a bike ride and collided with a truck.

"I guess my nerves were a little unsteady that last raid. It was the toughest of the bunch," the engineer-gunner recalled here today at redistribution station No. 1.

CHIANG YIELDS TO PRESSURE

(By The Associated Press)
China's cabinet shakeup, involving the removal of General Ho Ying-chin as minister of war and chief of staff and H. H. Kung as minister of finance, indicates that Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek finally has yielded to Allied pressure for a housecleaning aimed at retrieving the tottering military and financial fortunes of free China.

Naming Gen. Chen Cheng to succeed Ho the Generalissimo has placed the reorganization of China's military forces in the hands of an able, forceful commander eager to adopt modern methods and willing to work closely with Americans assigned to train and equip an effective fighting army.

Retirement of General Ho, minister of war since 1930 and chief of staff since 1937, conceivably also may remove one of the chief stumbling blocks to a political settlement between the central government and the Chinese Communists.

General Ho had maintained a military blockade against Communist armies in the north, is known as an implacable foe of the Communists, and has been blamed for attacking them with some of his best divisions while they waged guerrilla warfare on the Japanese.

Ho also has been accused of delaying tactics in accepting and employing American strategy, training methods and equipment, limited as such aid is because of the necessity of flying everything into China over the Himalayan hump.

Brisbane, Australia, Nov. 21 (AP)—The death of Sir James Blair, 73, Lieutenant Governor of Queensland since 1933, was announced Saturday.

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GIANT 'FORTS' POUND KYUSHU, JAP HOMELAND

Washington, Nov. 21 (AP)—Superfortresses in heavy strength blasted the Japanese homeland island of Kyushu again today, Washington announced.

(Tokyo radio reported 70 or 80 American Superforts struck in two waves at Nagasaki and Omura areas of western Kyushu island in southern Japan.)

Gen. H. H. Arnold, as commanding general of the 20th Air Force, made the brief announcement with the promise of more information, as to results and possible losses of any of the big bombers, "when further details are available."

Washington's first report said merely that "a large task force of B-29 aircraft" attacked industrial targets on Kyushu, the mission being carried out from China bases by Gen. Curtis E. Lemay's 20th Bomber Command.

2 Previous Raids

On the previous B-29 raids against Kyushu, the big aircraft center of Omura was the primary target. On October 25 Omura was hit hard and then on Nov. 11 the B-29's returned in a mission to destroy all the center's structures still left standing.

Kyushu is the most southern of the Japanese homeland islands. The Tokyo broadcast, recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, asserted Japanese interceptors engaged the B-29's in "fierce air duels that raged from 9:45 a. m. to 11 a. m. (Tokyo Time). Broadcasters asserted eight Superforts were shot down and another damaged.

A Domei News Agency report predicted that later Japanese radio accounts would report higher "enemy losses" after an "investigation" of the air battle.

Tokyo said low hanging clouds blanketed the area and prevented "accurate bombing attacks." As usual, Domei reported "damages suffered by our side were extremely slight."

When the Imperial communique was issued later it fulfilled the Domei prediction, claiming 14 Superforts were definitely shot down and 11 more probably.

Four Japanese interceptors were listed as missing, including one that reportedly crashed into a B-29.

Lean fish like cod, halibut or whiting should not be broiled; they are better boiled, fried, or baked in milk.

Welfare Center Shelters Family

Philadelphia, Nov. 21 (AP)—Scrubbed, fed and happy, five children, ranging from 18 months to eight years, were tucked into bed at the Children's Welfare Center here Sunday night, unaware that their mother is under a police charge of intoxication and that she and their six-month-old brother are patients in Philadelphia General hospital.

Police Sergeant Charles Leo said that the mother, Mrs. Catherine Bergeron, 32, was hospitalized after she was found in a stupor Saturday night.

Her youngest child was hospitalized for treatment of a skin disease after police found the youngsters, crying and hungry, in the Bergeron apartment.

The father, Ernest Bergeron, is in the merchant marine.

Use an aluminum tea ball for your pickle spices. It is easy to remove and sometimes you can use it again for the next batch of pickles.

BACKACHE, LEG PAINS MAY BE DANGER SIGN Of Tired Kidneys

If backache and leg pains are making you miserable, don't just complain and do nothing about them. Nature may be warning you that your kidneys need attention.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking excess acids and poisonous waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day.

If the 15 miles of kidney tubes and filters don't work well, poisonous waste matter stays in the blood. These poisons may start nagging backaches, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

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Quads' Mother Sees Her Babies

Philadelphia, Nov. 21 (AP)—Mrs. Kathleen Cirminello has finally seen her quadruplets born November 1 and now she's anxious to take them home.

Mrs. Cirminello first saw the babies Thursday, and since then she's been seeing them daily and has learned to tell them apart.

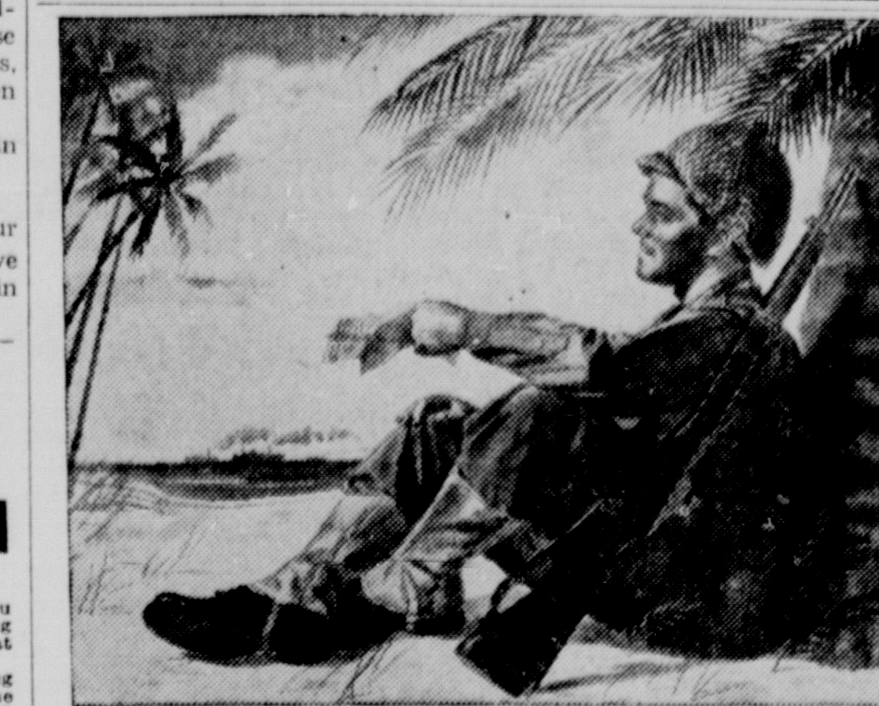
"They get cuter every day," she says. "I love them all and want to take them home as soon as possible."

The quads are each about 17 inches long. Kathleen, the smallest,

weighs 2 pounds 12 ounces; Matthew, 3 pounds 8 ounces and Michael and Ellen each 3 pounds 5 ounces.

ATTACK NAZI CONVOY
Stockholm, Nov. 21 (AP)—Allied planes attacked a north-bound German convoy along Sweden's west coast Friday night, causing one ship to explode, the newspaper Dagens Nyheter reported Saturday.

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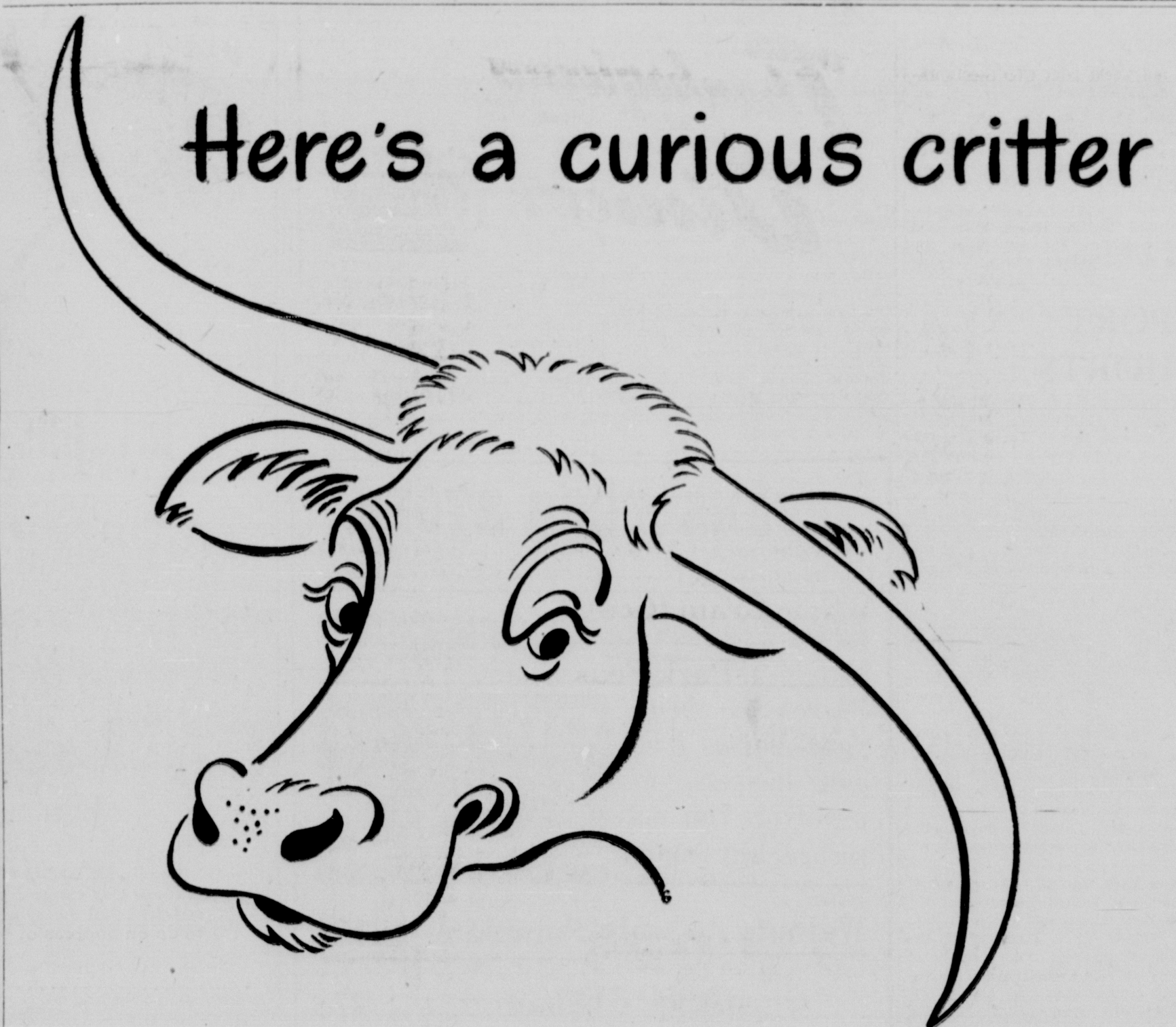
THIS Yank fighting man—and several million like him—would give anything to get this Jap war cleaned up so that he can come back and see his home, his wife, his children again.

Do your part to help him get home faster by buying at least one extra \$100 War Bond in the 6th War Loan. Do it today!

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This is an official U. S. Treasury advertisement—prepared under the auspices of Treasury Department and War Advertising Council.



If you met this longhorn out on the plains, you'd yell for Mr. Ripley! When one horn curves up, you just naturally expect the other to turn up, too.

Same way, when war sent prices sweeping up, people expected all prices to follow suit. But at least one price didn't—the price of electricity.

In fact, like this longhorn, the price of electricity actually curved down the other way. The same govern-

ment statistics which measure the increased cost-of-living also show that the average price of electricity has declined 3.2% since the war began!

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REVIEWS WAGE, PRICE TURMOIL UP TO PRESENT

(Editor's Note: This is the second of two stories on fight over wages and the cost of living.)

By JAMES MARLOW
Washington, Nov. 21 (AP)—Are you dizzy from the turmoil over wages, prices and the cost of living. Here's an explanation.

Prices and wages raced upward after Jan. 1, 1941. By the spring of 1942 living costs had risen at least 15 per cent.

The government knew this from its cost-of-living index. Published monthly by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The government cracked down. It was to sit on prices. The War Labor Board was to sit on wages.

15 Per Cent Limit
WLB said: Henceforth no wage increase more than 15 per cent above what the hourly rate for a particular job called for on Jan. 1, 1941.

This didn't mean a man couldn't add to his weekly earnings by overtime, incentive pay, and moving to a better job. It applied only to the basic hourly rate for a particular job.

And the rule on wages became known as the Little Steel formula. WLB had applied it in an important case involving CIO steel workers.

But the point was this: Wages and prices both were supposed to be held to an increase of no more than 5 per cent above Jan. 1, 1941.

Prices Kept Climbing
(All increases mentioned hereafter in this story mean increase above Jan. 1, 1941.)

But prices kept climbing. Labor murmured that the cost of living was greater than the BLS index showed.

Finally, the BLS asked for a check on its own index in the spring of 1943. It asked the American Statistical Association to do the job. Association experts reported Oct. 10, 1943 that: "Within the limitations established for it," the BLS provided a trustworthy guide on price changes. This didn't satisfy labor.

Eleven days later, Oct. 21, AFL and CIO leaders complained in person to the President that the BLS index was too low to show the rise in living costs.

BLS Index Attacked
The next day the President told WLB Chairman William H. Davis to have a WLB committee examine the BLS index. Davis set up a committee of public, industry and labor members.

A few weeks later CIO Steelworkers demanded wage increases although they had the limit under WLB rules. This meant breaking the Little Steel formula. It meant the whole system of wage controls would have to be revised. This was Nov. 1943.

On top of this—in January, 1944—the AFL and CIO members of the WLB committee examining the index issued a study bitterly attacking the index. The study said:

"Too Low and Too High"
The BLS index showed a living cost rise of only 25 per cent. The actual rise was 43.5 per cent.

So in March, 1944, WLB Chairman Davis asked a special committee of outside economists to examine the index and the AFL-CIO attack on it.

He got the economists' report, studied it, and last week-end announced: The BLS index was too low but the AFL-CIO report was too high.

He said that as of now living costs have risen 30 per cent, 4.5 per cent higher than the 25.5 per cent shown in the index. The difference is due to some "hidden" factors like those mentioned by the AFL and CIO.

DEFER DECISION

Harrisburg, Nov. 21 (AP)—Chairman Frederick T. Gelder of the state Liquor Control Board has indicated that final decision on increasing whisky rations for Pennsylvania over the Christmas-New Year holiday period would be deferred until the end of the present ration period on December 2.

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Military Musical Contests Are Held

Baltimore, Nov. 21 (AP)—A contest is underway to select the best soldier bands, glee clubs and orchestras in the Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia area. Maj. Gen. Philip Hayes, commanding general of the Third Service command, said today.

Camps competing include Fort Meade, Edgewood arsenal, Camp Lee, Camp Pickett, Indiantown Gap Military Reservation and Hampton Roads port of embarkation. Recordings of organizations competing will be sent to servicemen overseas, Hayes said.

300 BOMBERS POUND LUZON

(By The Associated Press)
Three hundred American planes bombed the Japanese-held island of Luzon in the Philippines Sunday, a Tokyo broadcast recorded by the federal communications commission declared.

"Approximately 300 carrier-based planes" raided various sectors of the Philippines, including Manila, Clark Field, Lipa, Batangas, and Aparri, the broadcast said.

A Tokyo broadcast reported from London said "several dozen" bombers—including B-24 Liberators—were in the raid. That was the first mention of land-based planes over Manila.

The Japanese claimed their interceptors shot down nine of the raiders and "damaged" one.

Domei reported that 25 Liberators had raided Legaspi, near the southern tip of Luzon, Friday, Yap Saturday. The Japanese-controlled Manila radio said American planes dropped bombs Sunday on Manila, but were driven off before any damage was done.

The number and type of American planes was not specified in the Manila broadcast.

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REDS PRESSING ESCAPE ROUTES FROM HUNGARY

London, Nov. 20 (AP)—Red Army troops closed in today on northern escape routes for enemy troops rolled back to the outskirts of Miskolc, Hungary's fifth city, as the Germans declared the Russians had opened their winter offensive far to the north against 300,000 Nazis pocketed in western Latvia.

Late front reports said a German withdrawal from Miskolc appeared imminent. Nazi escape routes to the east and west of Miskolc, 85 miles northeast of besieged Budapest, already were cut.

One Red Army column had battled to the outskirts of Eger, 22 miles southwest of Miskolc, Russian front dispatches said.

Another Soviet armored unit which had rolled through Diosgyor, three miles west of Miskolc and within 20 miles of the old Czechoslovakian frontier, veered north of Grapple for a hold on road and rail communications between Miskolc and the rail hub of Losonc (Lučenec) on the Slovak border.

30-Mile Front In Latvia
Units of Marshal Rodion Y. Malinovsky's Second Ukraine Army plunged into the southern outskirts of Miskolc with the capture of Csaba and Szirma, less than one and two miles south and southeast of the city.

Berlin reports on the Latvian offensive said the Russians had thrown heavy infantry, tank, plane and artillery forces against the Germans on a 30-mile front near Liepaja, one of the two Baltic escape ports left to the Nazis.

The German accounts said the Russians had ripped holes in the Axis lines in violent fighting entering its third day, but claimed counterattacks had nullified the Red Army gains.

The Russian midnight war bulletin said that southwest of Jeigava, 97 miles east of Liepaja, the Germans were dislodged from some positions in hand-to-hand fighting.

Berlin asserted fighting was particularly fierce near Priekule, 20 miles southeast of Liepaja.

Sons See Father Slain By Accident

Somerset, Pa., Nov. 21 (AP)—His two teen-age sons witnessed a hunting accident in which Charles R. Sanner, 52, of Rockwood, was fatally wounded by a fellow hunter's gun, Coroner P. C. Dosch reported today.

The coroner said Game Protector Millard Crooks told him a 12-gauge shotgun in the hands of Sanner's companion went off as he was shifting the gun from one hand to another in the Negro mountains.

CIO MAY GET WAGE ANSWER

Washington, Nov. 21 (AP)—The CIO may get a partial answer to its steel wage demands from the War Labor Board before this week's CIO convention ends in Chicago.

William H. Davis, WLB chairman, said he hoped for a board decision in the steel case before the week is out but emphasized it would not change the little steel formula limiting general wage increases to 15 per cent over Jan. 1, 1941, levels.

Another source close to the board ventured the opinion an average 5 or 10-cent hourly increase may be given the steelworkers, not as a basic wage increase, but in compensation for "inequities," such as night shift differentials. He said there also might be additional vacation benefits.

This would apply virtually to all steel workers as all get vacations and rotating shifts on night work is a general practice.

Such a decision would be followed by demands from other CIO and AFL groups for similar dealing in cases of industry pay "inequities." Under the stabilization policy, the little steel formula limits general raises to counter higher living costs to 15 per cent but allows adjustments for hardships or inequities.

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BOY, 14 GIVEN DISCHARGE AT EMBARKATION

McKeesport, Pa., Nov. 21 (AP)—Fourteen-year-old Jimmy Clark, yanked out of an embarkation port as he was about to go overseas with a paratrooper contingent, is now a full-fledged member of the American Legion.

Jimmy spent 11 months in the Army and had made six parachute training jumps when officers learned his true age and sent him home. Last night he was initiated as a member of McKeesport Post 261—the organization that helped him find a niche when he returned to civilian life.

It was bad enough being sent home from the Army, but Jimmy

discovered soon after he got back that he probably would have to return to the fifth grade school-room he left to join the Army. State law requires school attendance for all children under 16.

I. Harry Goldberg, a Legionnaire and re-employment counselor of the draft board through which Jimmy was inducted, agreed with Jimmy, who's five foot ten, and weighs 175, that he'd be sort of out of place in the fifth grade.

Going to Learn Trade
"We went to bat for him under the GI Bill of Rights," explained Goldberg. "Through the Veterans Administration, we arranged to have him enrolled in the Donnelly Vocational trade school and he'll be entitled to 23 months' training and be paid \$50 a month." Jimmy lost a brother on Guadalcanal a year ago. His father is in the service and a sister is in the Woman's Army corps.

The youth intends joining the

Near Agreement On Air Policies

Chicago, Nov. 21 (AP)—A proposal for global air regulation written by the United States, Canada and Great Britain left but two important items for settlement today in the path to complete agreement.

The plan—lacking decision on the broad principle of free air everywhere and a method for adjusting carrying capacity to traffic volume—has been laid before delegates to the International Civil Aviation conference

ence for study and consideration in preparation for a general meeting tomorrow morning.

The language of the plan is largely that of the Canadian proposal presented when the conference opened November 1, but its content cuts close to the course charted by the United States. A major and expected victory for the American delegation headed by Adolf A. Berle, Jr., assistant Secretary of State, was abandonment of Canada's proposal for assignment of international routes by a world authority.

The potato was introduced into Europe through Spain by Hieronymus Cardan, a monk who brought it back with him from Peru.

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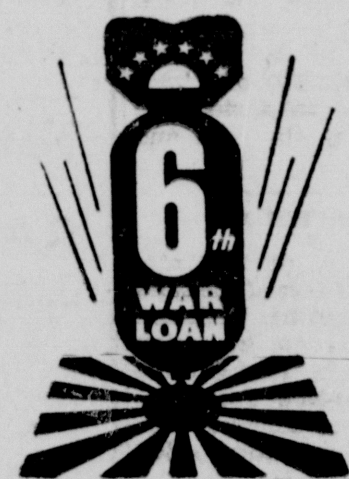
And when you look *them* in the eye and see the tortured memory of their buddies who *didn't* come through it, ask yourself what sacrifice *you* made to save them.

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LEYTE ACTION DEEPLY MIRED BY TYPHOONS

By MURLIN SPENCER

General MacArthur's Headquar- ters, Philippines, Nov. 21 (AP)—The battle of Leyte moved nearly to a typhoon-soaked stop today while Manila recovered from its fourth major American air raid of the month.

On Leyte, the typhoon took precedence over efforts of both sides on the swaying Limon battle line. General MacArthur's communiqué noted that the 32nd Division was making some progress near Limon, reported that the enemy was continuing desperate efforts to break a road-block south of the town—and added, significantly, "all traffic, air, ground and sea, is fraught with great difficulties and hazards; and battle conditions are becoming static."

Aerial Activity

Only in the air was there spectacular activity. There, 35 enemy fighters and dive bombers raided American positions, losing seven aircraft to air patrols and ground fire. American aircraft countered with attacks on Japanese communications lines, supply areas and water-front targets near Ormoc.

Vice Adm. John S. McCain's carrier planes hit Manila again Saturday, damaged airfields, set blazes flaring on three merchant ships and destroyed 118 Japanese planes. Most of these were on the ground. Only 10 enemy planes were shot down in the Manila area and another eight near the jet carriers.

Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced the raids at Pearl Harbor last night. The announcement made no mention of damage to American planes or ships (although radio Tokyo said nine American aircraft were downed) nor of additional Japanese shipping in the Manila area. This was surprising in view of the recent Japanese attempts to reinforce Leyte by sea.

Bag 731 Planes

The Saturday bag ballooned to 731 the total of enemy aircraft destroyed by naval forces in the Philippines this month. The unofficial grand total for the month now is 921, including those destroyed by Army and Naval fliers under MacArthur's command. At Limon, the Japanese continued their last-ditch efforts to hold a confused and disconnected line on the crests of ridges overlooking the Ormoc corridor.

DONALD NELSON GETS NEW POST

Washington, Nov. 21 (AP)—Donald M. Nelson has been designated "personal representative" of President Roosevelt, with rank at the cabinet level, and will occupy offices in the White House.

The appointment was confirmed by letter shortly before Nelson, former WPB chairman, left this country on his second mission to Chungking to create a Chinese war production board, it was ascertained today.

The Presidential letter notified Nelson he would sit in Cabinet meetings, and was understood also to mention another trip in the Pacific on his return from China. This appeared to point to New Zealand or Australia.

Beyond this, the note did not go much farther in formalizing Nelson's status than the "Dear Donald" letter accepting Nelson's resignation from strife-torn WPB. Mr. Roosevelt then asked him to remain in the government for "a high post of major importance" in international economic affairs.

Quietly, offices for Nelson already have been established in the White House, where Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes also is quartered. Nelson's personal effects, along with the souvenirs of four years in the production agency, have been removed from his old office in the Social Security building.

Trucking Concern Is Cited By PUC

Harrisburg, Nov. 21 (AP)—Russell J. Dietz, doing business as Dietz Freight Lines, of Bethlehem, has been ordered by the Public Utilities Commission to show cause why his certificate of public convenience should not be amended to eliminate the right of transportation of household goods between points in Pennsylvania.

The commission said that Dietz failed to establish by Nov. 2 the rates and practices for transportation of household goods as required by the state code.

EXPECT ACTION TO CHECK PRICE RISES IN FUTURE

By STERLING F. GREEN

Washington, Nov. 21 (AP)—Action to reverse recent price rises described as small but disturbing, is expected shortly, designed as an assurance to workers that living costs will not outrun pay scales.

Climaxing a series of administrative moves all pointing to a decision to hold on to the principle of the "little steel" wage formula until after V-E Day, Price Administrator Chester Bowles called a news conference for this afternoon.

Expected Steps

The conference was arranged on short notice following Sunday's statement by economic stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson that "disturbing" advances in costs of living, especially in textiles and clothing, "must stop."

Observers believed Bowles was ready to:

First, tighten controls over fabrics and wearing apparel, the items singled out by Vinson as inflated; and

Second, announce more rigid standards for ruling on requests for "extraordinary" price increases not provided for in the price control act and other laws.

On the "extraordinary" increases OPA is not sole judge, but must set its ceilings by agreement with other agencies, usually war food administration. It was indicated that Vinson, as final economic arbiter, has given assurance he will uphold a firm position on the part of OPA.

Events of the last fortnight bear out the impression of a concerted effort for a home-front "freeze" until Germany yields. The series began with President Roosevelt's refusal to accept resignations from War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes and three members of the War Labor Board, until Germany quits. It gained momentum with the current campaign to emphasize war production and de-emphasize reconversion in planning.

Flashes Of Life

TOBACCO EVERYWHERE, BUT — Weston, Mo., (AP)—A visitor in this white burley tobacco center bought the last pack of cigarettes. Now tobacco workers have to roll their own.

PERSISTENT

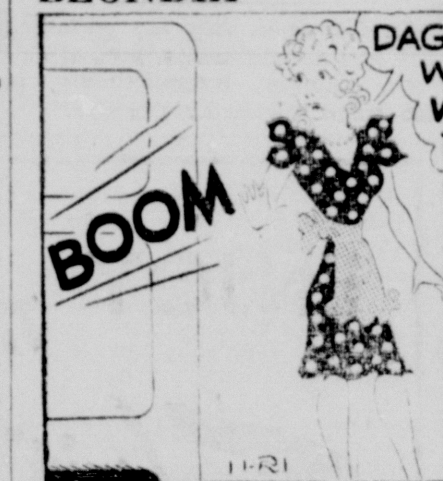
Clovis, N. M., (AP)—G. O. McCrary, Grady, N. M., was accidentally wounded on the start of a hunting trip. The bullet was removed, he went back into the mountains, killed his deer, drove home and dressed the animal before receiving treatment for his wound.

BOND PROMOTION

Wichita Falls, Tex., (AP)—W. T. Knight told soldiers in a war bond rally audience he would buy a \$25 war bond for each G. I. who would buy one for himself.

He had 68 takers. Cost of the gifts to Knight: \$1,275 in war bonds.

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Emmitsburg

Emmitsburg—Mrs. Harry Boyle, president of the Women's club, has announced that the next meeting of the club will be on Thursday, November 30, having been changed from Friday, November 24. Miss Jesse Hammerly, county demonstrator, will be present.

The burgess and commissioners met in special session Saturday evening at the town office and discussed maintenance of the sewer system. The tanks at the disposal plant were pumped a few months ago, but there remains the flushing of the larger sewer pipes throughout the town. Commissioner Lloyd G. Ohler stated that he flushed a part of the lines two years ago, but approximately 30 per cent of the main lines have not been flushed since being put in service seven years ago. The commissioners agreed that the sewer lines and man-holes should be flushed once each year when the elevation of the water in the reservoirs will permit of this operation.

The clerk to the burgess and commissioners was instructed to address a letter to Charles P. Troxell, president of the Vigilant Hose company, to learn if the fire-fighting equipment will be made available each year for the purpose of flushing the sewer lines and pumping the tanks at the disposal plant. While the hose and engine have been made available to the town in the past, there is some question according to Ralph Sperry, director of the Vigilant Hose company, as to the interpretation of an order by the federal government prohibiting the use of fire-fighting equipment for other purposes. If this order holds then it will be necessary for the town to make other plans. Commissioner Luther Kugler, president of the board, said that the sewer lines must be flushed "without delay and before cold weather," and he has asked the firemen to reply to the letter addressed to their president not later than Saturday evening when the burgess and commissioners will hold a special meeting to make plans for taking care of the work under consideration.

The Emmitsburg chapter of the Saint Joseph's College Alumnae was recently entertained by Miss Mary Eberhart, of Gettysburg, at the Green Parrot tea room at Emmitsburg. Bridge, five hundred and bingo were played. High scores were won by Miss Louise Sebold, Mrs. Schaeffer Bailey, and Miss Kathleen Topper. Additional prizes went to Miss Louise Kreigh and Mrs. A. M. Wasilfsky. Guests present were: Mrs. Schaeffer Bailey and Miss Crawford, of Thurmont; Mrs. John Beach and Miss Mary Jane Wills, of Fairfield; Misses Julia Christie, Isabel Ulozas, Louise Elliott, Louise Kreigh, St. Joseph's, Misses Louise Sebold, Mary Gene Matthews, Kathleen Topper, Leota Topper, Adele Topper, Martha Corry, Anne Eckenrode, Emma Moore, and Anne Cogdon; Mrs. George Thompson, Mrs. A. M. Wasilfsky, Mrs. C. G. Frailey, Mrs. Agnes Garner, Mrs. Francis Matthews, and Mrs. H. P. Freeman, all of Emmitsburg, Md.; Mrs. E. G. Miller and Miss Catherine Miller, of Orontana; Miss Rose Morrison, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Mary Stock, Mrs. Mark Stock and Miss Mary Eberhart, of Gettysburg.

Bright, clear eyes and elastic flesh are the signs of fresh fish.

Island Song

by Owen Atkinson

AP Newsfeatures

Chapter 6
There was a splash. Water foamed and boiled about Jason Blake. A head popped up after the wave had slid past. A long narrow board floated nearby. The princess shook the water from her hair, caught it up into a thick strand.

Jason's first impression of the swimmer was that she was naked. Then he saw that she wore a tight-fitting garment of brown cloth extending from just above her firm, budding young breasts to her knees. She swam toward him, pushing the board ahead of her, her dark hair fan-like in the water.

"What are you doing here?" she challenged.
"It's a free ocean," Jason was annoyed at her tone. "Is there a tabu against swimming, also?"

"Yes," said the princess abruptly. "This is the king's private beach."
Jason realized for the first time that he was very tired. The water was soft and warm but he had been fighting the surf for some time and his arms were heavy, his breath short. "Sorry if I have invaded your privacy," he panted.

The princess seemed to glide through the water without effort. She seized the board and thrust it toward him. "Hold on," she invited. "We'll swim together to the beach."

Both holding to the surfboard, they pushed through the waves. Jason was thankful for the support of the board. The girl swam with effortless grace, sliding through the water without any apparent movement.

Half an hour later they lay in the hot sun, on the clean, white sand. Jason was surprised that he suffered no embarrassment. He imagined himself in a similar situation with some prim girl of Salem—and chuckled.

The princess, for all her courtly manner and royal dignity, was only a girl. She spread her hair to dry. Delighted and a little fearful, she glanced in the direction of the banyan tree while she talked. She wondered if Kilani had seen them swim in together. She giggled inwardly at the thought of what Kilani would say if she knew that the princess and this tall, white-skinned stranger lay side by side in the sand!

"My driver told me"—Jason prepped his head on one elbow—that in the old days men and women swam here together all the time. He said that Doctor Webb had stopped that practice."

"Yes." The girl brushed aside a strand of hair and gazed at him curiously. "My people swim without clothes. The missionaries thought that immoral. Do you?"

"Why, I—" Jason was confused at the question. "Where I come from," he temporized, "we would think it very shocking. But tell me about yourself," he requested, looking into her eyes.

"There is nothing to tell."

"There is nothing to tell," sighed the princess. "I'm uneducated, untraveled, stupid. All I can do is swim and make flower leis. Tell me about the great cities of America. Laura has often described Boston to me. Do you come from there?" She sat up and regarded him curiously.

"I sailed from Boston on this voyage," he told her. "It's a ugly city with heavy brick buildings crowding the crooked streets. It's cold and there are few trees. It is far different from Hawaii."

Then he told her about Salem, the hurry and bustle of the town, the masts of the vessels lying in the harbor, the streets crowded with sailors from all ports of the world.

"Oh, I know!" cried the girl. "It is like Waikiki when the whaling fleet is in. Hundreds of ships lying in a great half circle. And the streets of Honolulu filled with drunken sailors. Doctor Webb has tried to pass laws to close the grog shops. One Sunday the men from the ships ran roaring up and down Nuuanu Street, demanding that the shops be opened. When nobody let them in, why, they broke down the doors and took all they wanted, leaving money lying on the bar. All that is gone now."

"But how about the tabus?" Jason reminded her. "Some of them are still in effect."

The princess flashed him a swift look. "Yes," she admitted. "You are tabu!"

"Yes, tabu to touch. The idea of the tabu has become a habit with me."

"Are you serious about it? I mean, do you think it would be dangerous if anyone touched you?"

"I don't know," Liloa explained earnestly. "In the old days there was so much looseness between men and women that a tabu was proclaimed to protect the chastity of the daughter of some chief or king. At her marriage, of course, it was removed. She looked up at him.

"I can see the sense in that," Jason mused. "They must have led a gay life out here before the missionaries came. But are you content to go living in this way? Isolated from your friends by an invisible wall?"

"I have no friends," said the princess wistfully.

"How about me?" asked Jason. The girl gazed at him quietly for a moment, then nodded. "Yes," she said. "You are my friend. The first."

"Hi! Hi!" a screeching voice came from somewhere down the beach.

The princess sprang to her feet. "It's Kilani!" She turned quickly to Jason. "You must go at once."

"Where?" asked Jason with a smile.

Kilani's head came bobbing over the rise in the beach. She had been running and was out of breath. When she saw the girl

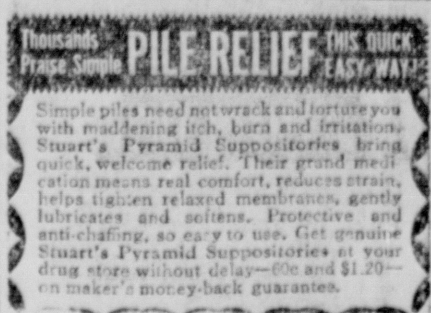
with Jason she let out a loud cry, a wall of alarm and anger. "Haele!" she cried. "You pupule, crazy." She shook a heavy fist at Jason. "I tell king. You talk to my girl," she spluttered, beside herself with rage.

"Hush, Kilani!" commanded the princess.

Paying no attention to the princess, Kilani let out another ear-splitting yowl which ended in a strangled groan.

Down the beach came three soldiers wearing white trousers and jackets, but no shirts or shoes. They wore cocked hats on their heads and carried muskets.

To be continued



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4:00-Stage Wife
4:15-Stella Dallas
4:30-Lorenzo Jones
4:45-Widder Brown
5:00-Girl Marries
5:15-Portia
5:30-Plain Bill
5:45-Front Page
6:00-News
6:15-Symphony
6:45-L. Thomas
7:00-Merger Show
7:15-News
7:30-Dick Haynes
8:00-Ginny Simms
8:30-Judy
9:00-Mystery
9:30-Fiber McGee
10:00-Rob Hope
10:30-Hildegarde
11:00-News
11:15-R. Harkness
11:30-Ar War

7:00-WOR-422M.
4:00-News
4:15-Vocalist
4:30-Food Forum
4:45-News
5:00-News
5:15-Chick Carter
5:30-Superman
5:45-Tom Mix
6:00-S. Mosley
6:15-Newsway
6:30-News
6:45-Stan Lomax
7:00-News
7:15-Suit
7:30-Arthur Hale
7:45-Answer Man
8:00-F. Singler
8:15-Vocalist
8:30-Roy Rogers
8:45-Heater
9:15-Screen Test
9:30-Farm
10:15-P. Schubert
10:30-Symphonette
11:00-News
11:15-Fields' Orch.
11:30-Fields' Orch.

7:00-WJZ-655M.
4:00-News
4:15-Norman Show
4:30-News
4:45-Hop Harrigan
5:00-Terry
5:15-Dick Tracy
5:30-J. Armstrong
5:45-Ed. Warner
5:50-News
6:00-News
6:15-Edwin Hill
6:30-Sports
6:45-World Today
7:00-Mystery
7:15-Music
7:30-Melody
8:00-Big Town
8:30-Romance
9:00-Burns, Allen
9:30-My Best
10:00-Front Service
10:30-Congress
10:45-Scenes
11:00-News
11:15-Vocalist
11:30-Bond Show

WEDNESDAY

6:00-WEAP-454M.
8:00-a.m.-News
8:15-Listen
8:30-News
8:45-R. Hendricks'n
9:00-Variety
9:30-A. Hawley
9:45-Vocalist
10:00-L. Lawton
10:15-R. St. John
10:30-Finders, Keep
10:45-Road of Life
11:15-Rosemary
11:30-Playhouse
11:45-David Barrow
12:00-News
12:15-M. McNellis
12:30-Band
1:00-Mary McBride
1:15-M. Beatty
2:00-Guiding Light
2:15-Children
2:30-Woman in Wh
2:45-Hymns
3:00-Woman
3:15-Ma Perkins
3:30-P. Young
3:45-Happiness
4:00-Stage Wife
4:15-Scott Orch.
4:30-Lorenzo Jones
4:45-Widder Brown
5:00-Girl Marries
5:15-Portia
5:30-Plain Bill
5:45-Front Page
6:00-News
6:15-Serenade
6:30-Sports
6:45-L. Thomas
7:00-Merger Show
7:15-Vanderbrook
7:30-Roth Orch.
7:45-Kaltenborn
8:00-Norths
8:30-Carl Bruce
9:00-Eddie Cantor
9:30-M. D. A.
10:00-Kay Kyser

11:00-News
11:30-A. Hopkins
8:00-a.m.-News
8:15-Aunt Jennie
8:30-Breakfast
8:45-News
9:00-Health
9:15-Music
9:30-A. McCann
10:00-News
10:30-B. Beatty
11:00-News
11:15-Music
11:30-Quiz
11:45-Your Idea
12:00-News
12:15-Melodies
12:30-News
12:45-Album
1:00-Quiz
1:15-News Party
1:30-Loper Orch.
1:45-Jury
2:00-News
2:15-Jane Cowl
2:30-News
2:45-Stories
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8:15-Your Life
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9:00-R. K. East Club
10:00-True Story
10:30-Cliff Edwards
10:45-Listen
11:00-At Sadli's
11:15-News
11:30-News
11:45-Exchange
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5:45-Capt. M. Night
6:00-News
6:15-Duo
6:30-Stage War I
6:45-H. Taylor
7:00-On Stage
7:30-Lone Ranger
8:00-News
8:15-Lum, Abner
8:30-Best Girls
8:45-Mind Reading
9:00-Spot Band
10:00-K. Swain
10:15-Capt. M. Night
10:30-Unannounced
11:00-News
11:15-Songs
11:30-Claridge orch.

8:00-a.m.-News
8:15-Cook
8:30-Shopping
8:45-M. Arlin
9:00-News
9:15-Horizons
9:45-This Life
10:00-Valliant Lady
10:15-World Light
10:30-This World
10:45-Bachelor's
11:00-Amanda
11:15-2nd Husband
11:30-Horizon
11:45-Aunt Jenny
12:00-Kate Smith
12:15-Big Sister
12:30-Helen Trent
12:45-Our Gal
1:00-Life Can Be
1:15-Ma Perkins
1:30-News
1:45-Goldberg
2:00-Joyce Jordan
2:15-Clue
2:30-Dr. Malone
2:45-P. Mason
3:00-Mary Marlin
3:15-Tina, Tim
3:30-High Places
3:45-News
4:00-Service Time
4:30-Off Rec'd
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7:30-Easy Aces
8:00-Jack Carson
8:30-John Herscholt
9:00-Inner Sanct'm
9:30-Ken Murray
10:00-Crest Mont's
10:30-N. Eddy
11:00-News
11:15-Vocalist
11:30-Invitation.

Buffalo Threatens Hershey's Margin

(By The Associated Press)

The St. Louis Flyers, who haven't won since Oct. 31, can prevent Buffalo from taking the lead in the eastern half of the American hockey league when the teams clash tonight at St. Louis.

The Hershey Bears currently hold first slot, one point ahead of the Bisons, who can go ahead by virtue of a victory over the Flyers. St. Louis, however, has had a week's rest and will be primed to upset the league champs. The Bisons beat the Flyers, 2-0, early this month.

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SEA FOOD PLATTERS

LITTLESTOWN BASKETEERS TO PLAY 15 TILTS

Recently the Littlestown high school basketeers started practice for the coming season. They will play a 15-game schedule.

Back from last year's varsity squad are Donald (Dougie) Trostle, Edward (Moe) Mehrling, Harry Wildasin, Clyde Crouse, Robert (Bob) De Groot, of whom four are lettermen. With Bill Ecker at the helm again this year and with more experienced players, the team will probably be much improved. Prospects for this year look good. Managers for the boys' team this year are Rudolph Garland, Kenneth Sell and Harold Sentz.

The girls' team, under the direction of Mrs. Harold Reese, have begun practicing for their 1944-45 basketball games of which ten have been arranged. Thelma Bolin, Jackie Moul, Esther Sentz, Wanda Shanbrook, Madeline Deardoff and Marion Bankert are the remaining members of last year's squad. The girls have already shown prospects for a good team.

The first Littlestown high school games will be at Fairfield on January 5.

The schedule:
January 5, Fairfield, away, b-g;
January 9, Biglerville, home, b-g;
January 12, New Oxford, away, b-g;
January 16, East Berlin, away, b-g;
January 19, Arendtsville, home, b-g;
January 23, Westminster, away, v-jv;
January 26, Fairfield, home, b-g;
February 2, New Oxford, home, b-g;
February 6, East Berlin, home, b-g;
February 13, Quincy orphanage, home, v-jv;
February 16, Biglerville, away, b-g;
February 20, Arendtsville, away, b-g;
February 23, Stewartstown, home, v-jv;
February 27, Westminster, home, v-jv;
March 2, Stewartstown, away, v-jv.

b-g denotes boys and girls games; v-jv denotes boys varsity and junior varsity games.

SERVICE 11'S TOP AP LIST

By HAROLD CLAASSEN

New York, Nov. 21 (AP)—Army and Navy—the teams that meet in Baltimore on December 2 in the football game on the decade—rate No. 1 and 2 in today's Associated Press poll to determine the country's outstanding eleven.

The Cadets, who conquered Pennsylvania by a 62 to 7 score last Saturday, hung onto first place in the opinions of the 98 voting scribes but the demerit of the top ten underwent a shakeup that ousted Duke, despite its 34 to 7 triumph over South Carolina, and elevated Southern California.

Leading teams, determined on a basis of 10 points for each first place vote, nine for second, eight for third, etc. (First place votes in parenthesis):

Team	Points
Army (65 1-3)	889
Navy (5)	761
Ohio State (5)	726
Randolph Field (11 1-3)	690
Bainbridge Naval (4 1-3)	412
Michigan	392
Iowa Pre-Flight (2)	316
Southern California (1)	242
Fourth Air Force (3)	184
Georgia Tech	141

Yale Rejects Bowl 'Feelers'

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 21 (AP)—Yale's Athletic association big-wigs are "extremely flattered" over the bowl game "feelers" being extended to their undefeated and untied footballers but Director Ogden G. Miller today said the Elis "positively" would end their eight game slate here Saturday against Virginia.

"It's a new feeling to me, and we're extremely flattered," smiled the Blue's athletic boss, "but we positively couldn't play a post-season game this winter, even if we wanted to. Most of the squad are Navy and Marine trainees and they are subject to a 48-hour Navy rule governing absence from the post."

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Maroons Will Have Two Cage Coaches

Basketball practice for the Gettysburg high school cagers will start today.

At a meeting of candidates Monday it was revealed that Henry T. Bream, Gettysburg college coach, will be in charge of the varsity squad and Melvin Dry will handle the jay-vee cagers.

The schedule is expected to be announced in the near future.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, Nov. 21 (AP)—Man the dykes, folks, the flood is coming. Lt. Comdr. Rip Miller and Maj. Andy Gustafson started it yesterday trying to build up each other's teams for the coming Army-Navy game and with two weeks to go they'll have plenty of time for crying. . . . A couple of samples—Gustafson: "We'll continue to use the two-team system. We'll have to. No one team could stand up against Navy." . . . Miller: "Did George Munger wear that football suit during the Army-Penn game? I wouldn't dare do that. It wouldn't be safe the way those Cadets block." . . . Murray Dickson and Howard Krist, former cardinal hurlers, met recently in a foxhole somewhere in France. . . . And those weren't basehits whistling overhead, either.

CONTENTS NOTED

Pfc. Bob Rinehart, a former Ohio Stater on lend lease to Camp Claiborne, La., asks who said that Ohio State didn't have transfer help. . . . "How," Bob asks, "about all those shaveless shavers that transferred from those Ohio high schools to the Buckeye varsity?"

SHORTS AND SHELLS

The New York Boxing Managers guild has called a boycott against Joe Turner, Washington promoter, because of Eddie Walker's suspension. . . . They claim Eddie has tried to get a new date from Turner for the postponed Chalky Wright fight and can't get a tumble. . . . Oklahoma City will stage the all college basketball tourney again in December and will follow with three doubleheaders, featuring the Sooners and Phillips 66. . . . Paul Robeson, Jr., whose points beat Dartmouth Saturday, started the game for Cornell only because Navy trainee Edward Sharafanowich was caught wearing white socks that morning and was confined to quarters for the week-end. . . . Must have been an American league umpire who dished out that punishment.

SERVICE DEPT.

Marshall (Biggie) Goldberg has been re-assigned to the Fort Pierce, Fla., Naval amphibious base just in time to get into the amphib's few tough football games. . . . Cpl. Bill Kelly, who used to play basketball for Brown, has successfully introduced the "firehouse" game at Walker Army Air Field, Kas. His team has scored 445 points in five games, going over the 100 mark three times. . . . Ten years after he starred at Michigan, Willis Ward is regular end on the Camp Lee, Va., football team. Ward, now 31 years old, recently graduated from officers' candidate school.

In China divorcees are permitted in cases of criminality, mutual dislike, jealousy, incompatibility, or too much talking by the wife.

SCHOOLBOY ACE NIPS LUCKMAN'S SCORING RECORD

By FRANK ECK

Brooklyn, Nov. 21 (AP)—The most heralded schoolboy football player since Sic Luckman is what they're saying of Albert John Veling, co-captain and fullback of the Brooklyn Technical high school's eleven.

And they have every reason to because Veling has broken Luckman's scoring record made a decade ago when the Chicago Bears' illustrious quarterback starred for Erasmus Hall high. Veling tallied 162 points in six games this fall, compared to Luckman's mark of 98.

May Go To Penn

Veling probably will enter the U. of Pennsylvania next February. Notre Dame, too, has a chance to get this strapping 190-pound 6-footer who can do everything with a pigskin.

"He's ready right now," says his coach, Adam Cirillo. "I'd like to see him play for Penn even though he's good enough for Notre Dame."

Cirillo naturally leans toward Penn and Veling says "I'll leave the choice to Cirillo," who knows Penn's coach George Munger. Cirillo played three seasons at end for Lafayette and has opposed Munger on the gridiron.

Another reason in favor of Penn is the fact that Al's brother George played fullback for Penn last season until he was shifted to Pensacola, Florida, in the Navy V-5 program.

"It seems peculiar," says Cirillo, "that Veling broke Luckman's scoring mark tallying 26 points against Boys Hall. You see, Al wears No. 26 jersey. He did everything that day in accounting for 32 of our 33 points. He passed for one score, pulled in another aerial and ran 60 yards, went over on two nice end runs, tallied on a plunge and made two extra points through the line. . . . Veling does everything by instinct. He can short pass with the best of them, is terrific at plunging, kicks a mean pigskin and shows fine speed around end. On defense his blocking is perfect and he knows how to back up the line."

The sensational red-headed blue-eyed schoolboy, who "likes to run the ends more than anything else and pile drive through the line once in awhile," has played four years at Tech and is high on Cirillo's teachings even though "I only carried the ball once as a freshman." He gained two yards on the play.

Veling explains that Cirillo's method of coaching is to first make a back a good blocker.

In Veling's second season he scored one touchdown but in 1943 he made 72 points, third ranking total in New York city.

How does Veling feel about his touchdowns?

"I guess I'm just lucky to play for a good coach," he says modestly.

Philadelphia, Nov. 21 (AP)—Connie Mack, California-bound for a three-month vacation, paused last night to predict a strong 1945 season for his Philadelphia Athletics and to scoff at reports that he intends to swap pitcher Don Black and catcher Frank Hayes to Cleveland for pitcher Jim Bagby and outfielder Jeff Heath.

"But I can assure you," he said, "that Hayes isn't going to catch as often as he did this year. Jim Pruett, our new catcher, will help him."

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